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# ELDERLY ANGRY OVER ALARM FEE

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HONITON Senior Council has urged its members to be vigilant following the decision by East Devon District Council (EDDC) to introduce charges for the Home Safeguard community alarm service.

The Home Safeguard service provides a 24 hour contact for elderly people whereby a piece of equipment is provided in their homes. The equipment can be used to summon assistance should someone, for example, suffer a fall.

Currently customers aged over 80 and in receipt of benefits are not charged for the service. However, from September 1st this year a small charge will be introduced except in cases of genuine hardship.

Secretary of the senior council, Tony Simpson, said: "We are going to pursue the issue because we think if cuts have to be made they shouldn't be imposed on people who are vulnerable and the elderly."

"We have been in touch with our sister organisations in Axminster, Seaton and Sidmouth and we will be taking this up with the Senior Council for Devon at the annual meeting on October 1st."

A spokesman for EDDC said: "Tenants of EDDC's sheltered housing stock using Home Safeguard will experience no change in their situation. They already pay a support charge on their rents."

"Members deliberated long and hard over the question of charging for the alarm service for other clients, and the decision was not taken lightly."

"It should be understood that no other alarm provider issues free alarms. EDDC is coming into line with the rest of the market at a time when the council cannot continue to subsidise the cost of this service. However, our prices are still cheaper than most of our competitors."

"The council could not invest in TeleCare options and develop the service without a fair charging policy. We greatly value our reputation for reliability and good customer service and we will manage this transition in a customer focused rather than in a purely commercial way."

The spokesman added that those in hardship could be eligible for welfare benefits designed to meet the cost of the service.

Honiton Senior Council will be holding an open meeting and coffee morning at 10.30am on Monday, September 7th at the Royal British Legion Club. To contact Mr Simpson, call 01404 548228.



◆ TWO keen young readers were presented with their Booktrack Gold awards at Honiton Library recently. Children's librarian Linda Isaacson is pictured presenting the certificates to Abigail Maries and Jordan Wiltshire

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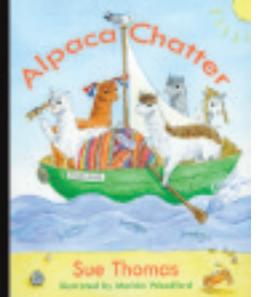
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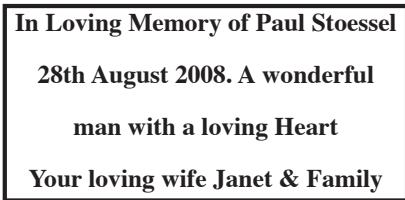
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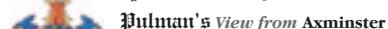
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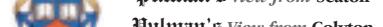
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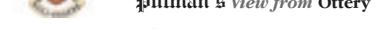
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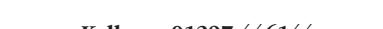
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## Alleged rape investigation

POLICE are investigating an alleged rape in Colyton.

Details are scarce but police issued a statement which said: "Detectives in east Devon are investigating an allegation of rape in Colyton overnight on Saturday, August 8th to Sunday, August 9th."

A local teenager has been arrested in connection with the incident and released on police bail."

There were no details with regards to location of the alleged incident but the statement asked for help from members of the public, saying: "The enquiry is at an early stage and anyone with any information is asked to call Crimestoppers on 0800 555111 quoting crime reference KN/09/491."

## Firefighters help woman

FIREFIGHTERS assisted a lady who had locked herself out of her Colyton house.

The call came in at 10.48am on Saturday, August 15th and a unit was despatched to a property in Queen's Square.

The lady's husband was inside the house but unable to open the door.

A fire and rescue service spokesperson said: "One fire appliance from Colyton attended with Crew Commander Bartlett in charge.

"Fire crews gained access to the property through an open window using a short extension ladder."

## Man injured by aerosol

A MAN suffered burns when an aerosol can exploded in a bonfire at Weycroft Avenue, Axminster.

Firefighters were alerted just before 1pm on Friday, August 14th and a spokesperson for the fire and rescue service said: "One male received 20 per cent minor burns following the explosion."

"The fire service extinguished the bonfire and the male was taken to hospital by ambulance."

## Flare reports are meteors

THE Coastguard received several reports of flares in the Branscombe area in the evening of Saturday, August 15th.

A Coastguard spokesperson explained: "Beer Coastguard were tasked to investigate multiple reports of flares at Branscombe."

"Exhaustive enquiries were made which revealed they were actually meteors."

## Crash call out

FIREFIGHTERS from Honiton were called to reports of a crash on the A30 at Monkton in the early hours of Saturday, August 15th morning.

The incident happened just after 2.30am.

The crew discovered the accident and made the vehicle safe.

No injuries were reported.

## BBC feature

COLYTON Antiques Centre is set to feature on a BBC TV programme in the New Year.

A camera crew was filming at the centre on Wednesday, August 12th.

The programme will show experts travelling around the south west buying and selling antiques and collectables.

# Shopping spree for winning lady

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A SEATON woman will go on a shopping spree in New York after winning £1,000 in a UK-wide, free prize draw.

There were 35,489 entries in the Age Concern prize draw and Rosemary White's ticket was the third winner this year.

So it was a real surprise for her when she took a phone call informing her of the win.

She said: "I've never won anything in my life so this is a wonderful surprise. I'm looking

forward to treating myself with the money, and am planning a big shopping spree to New York which is something I've always wanted to do — thank you Age Concern."

She travelled to Exeter on Thursday, August 13th to pick up her cheque. It was presented by the trading manager for Age Concern Devon, David Cotton, and trading arranger, Angela Cressey.

Mr Cotton said: "We are all very delighted for Mrs White and really excited that someone from our local area won the £1,000."

The prize draw ran throughout the UK from April 1st to June 30th to promote Age Concern Enterprises' financial products, and Mrs White became the draw's third winner this year.

All net profits generated by Age Concern Enterprises are donated to Age Concern and Help the Aged, to support the charitable work the charity carries out.

Another free prize draw is currently running until September 30th. Those wishing to try their luck can visit their local Age Concern branch for an entry form. Entrants must be over 18.



PHOTO BY ALAN QUICK

◆ A YOUNGSTER from Ottery St Mary has picked up the Junior Step Dance champion award at this year's Dartmoor Folk Festival. Katie Richmond (pictured left) learned the dance steps at a workshop held just a few hours before the championships. Stepdance involves dancers trying to out-step one another on a 15 inch square board on an old hay wagon

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# Rising star gets recall

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A YOUNGSTER from Seaton could soon be about to star in London's West End.

Thomas Broderick has been attending the Confidante drama school, which is held at Seaton Primary School, for only one term and has already impressed enough to be handed leading roles in several of the group's productions.

On Monday, August 10th the young thespian attended an audition for Oliver which shows at the world famous Drury Lane theatre. The audition went well and Thomas has earned a recall for a second

audition that will take place sometime in October.

Sara Perry, leader of the drama group, admitted that she was very proud of Thomas' achievement.

She said: "This is really massive especially seeing as it was his first ever audition, it is great for the school as well.

The judges at the audition are really picky about who they accept. The kids have to be under five foot tall, can't have braces and things like that.

"He had to be able to commit to the role and that was a hard decision especially because he is living down here. But his parents are behind him and it is excellent news that he got a recall."

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## A police run cycle course

POLICE in Seaton will be running a cycle training course for youngsters aged ten and above on Monday, August 24th and Wednesday, August 26th.

The courses will run from 9am until 12noon on both days.

Limited spaces are left and anyone who is interested should contact PCSO Chris Bolsover or PC Roy Hutter at Seaton police station on 01297 626726 for more information.

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**RESIDENTS in Ottery St Mary and across east Devon have been given more time to apply for a flood protection grant.**

The money is being administered by the Environment Agency, Devon County Council (DCC) and East Devon District Council (EDDC) and can be used to buy products to protect homes.

In July a Flood Fair was held at the King's School in Ottery and a deadline for applications was set. This has now been extended until Wednesday, September 30th.

The funding pot is limited to £35,000 and each applicant can ask for up to £500 or 80 percent of the cost of the product, whichever is the smaller amount.

Stuart Hughes, DCC cabinet member for Highways and Transportation, said: "This is a golden

opportunity for anyone who has either suffered from flooding recently or whose home is at risk of flooding to secure some funding towards taking preventative action of their own.

"The Flood Fair held at Ottery St Mary was a huge success with many products on display that appeared to be very simple to install."

"The grants being made available through this scheme will be of considerable benefit to people."

Stephen Marks, flood incident

manager at the Environment Agency, added: "This is a fantastic opportunity for people to apply for money to buy things to help them protect themselves from flooding.

"Flooding can happen very quickly, so it's often homeowners who are best placed to protect their property from flooding. We are working with EDDC and DCC to help people to help themselves."

EDDC say not all applications will be successful and is urging residents

not to purchase a product on the expectation of receiving a grant.

To apply for the funding residents must fill out application forms that are available from town and parish councils. The forms are also available from EDDC's offices in Sidmouth.

Once completed they should be emailed to [jo.richards@environment-agency.gov.uk](mailto:jo.richards@environment-agency.gov.uk) or sent to Flood Recovery Group, c/o Jo Richards, Manley House, Kestrel Way, Sowton, Exeter, Devon, EX2 7IQ.



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◆ AXMINSTER Operatic Society organised an Axminster's Got Talent variety show at the Guildhall on Friday evening, following auditions a week earlier. The finalists are pictured just before the show got under way

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## Open garden held in aid of cancer charity

ELMWOOD Residential Home, Seaton, recently held an open garden with all funds raised going to Macmillan Cancer Support.

Residents were joined by families, friends and staff during the event.

Stalls featuring products made by the home's residents were also on display.

Items for sale included cards, bookmarks and knitted goods.

Refreshments including a barbecue and cream tea were served.

The total amount raised was £435.34 and a cheque has been presented to a representative from the cancer charity.

## Police station shut reception

THE front desk at Axminster Police Station will be closed on August 18th, 21st and 28th.

On August 26th, the front desk will be open in the afternoon only from 1pm-5pm.

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### ALL roads may not lead to Axminster but many motorists park there.

During the financial year of 2008-09, East Devon District Council (EDDC) took a total of just over £187,240 from its Coombe Lane, Polar Mount, South Street and West Street car parks.

That figure alone may not tell much, but it is an increase on the previous financial year by more than £14,400 — and is in stark contrast to the district trend.

Council car parks in places like Beer, Seaton, Colyton, Ottery, Honiton and Sidmouth, for example, took less money in 2008-09 compared to the previous financial

year.

The big earner in Axminster is West Street's short stay car park, which took £99,471 — a jump from £89,628 the previous year.

Axminster district councillor Douglas Hull provided the statistics and has informed Axminster's chamber of commerce and town council.

The fact that Axminster has niche shops as opposed to "kiss me quick hats" is one reason given by councillor Hull's for Axminster's apparent pulling power.

EDDC offered an alternative idea, a spokesperson saying: "The last time car parking charges were revised was in March 2008.

"They were frozen this year to take account of the recession.

"We have no scientific explanation

for the takings in Axminster rising while other towns have seen their takings fall.

"However, the enforcement of on-street parking regulations over the past year will have encouraged more motorists to park legally in a car park across the district.

"One theory is that in the case of Axminster, which has a more compact town centre than many other towns, with car parks relatively close to each other, the enforcement of on-street parking regulations may be that much more effective as officers can cover most of the town centre in a single working day."

But not all is well and Axminster Town Council will make a number of suggestions as part of EDDC's ongoing car park review.

Among other things, councillors say

there is no adequate coach parking in the town and current car park charges are too high.

Councillors also believe there is a need for more parking spaces, especially when rail services to and from Axminster increase at the end of the year.

The 2008-09 statistics for the other towns are (2007-08 in brackets): Beer £181,370 (£188,407), Seaton £125,054 (£143,279), Ottery £78,458 (£88,299), Honiton £333,623 (£344,010), Colyton £9,011 (£10,168), Sidmouth £597,552 (£621,791).

Across the whole district, EDDC took £2,602,376 during 2008-09, compared to £2,691,697 the previous financial year.

All figures are inclusive of VAT.

## Unit gets its permission from EDDC

A PLAN by North Devon College to house a motorcycle repair workshop and classroom facilities at a unit on Honiton's Heathpark Industrial Estate has been given the go ahead.

The application was put forward at the end of June and planning officers from East Devon District Council (EDDC) have this week given it the thumbs up.

East Devon District Council's economic development officer, Nigel Harrison, said: "I welcome this proposal to extend the range of skill training and development available to local young people and adults and am happy to support this application."

Honiton town councillors had also given the plan their full support.

## Fundraising barn dance

HONITON Pantomime Society will be holding a fund raising barn dance at Awliscombe Village Hall on Saturday, September 5th.

The event will run from 7pm until 10pm and all money raised will go towards the society's silver anniversary production of Cinderella.

Tickets cost £8 for adults and £6 for children under 16. A ploughman's supper is included. A bar will also be available.

For more information or to purchase tickets contact 01404 549107.



◆ A DECORATED raft competition was held on the beach last week as part of Beer Regatta Week. Above, the RNLI raft motors around the bay at Beer. Left, the Next Generation raft crewed by Shelley Hales, Lillie May Gribble, Ruby Llewellyn-Hughes and Jessica Llewellyn



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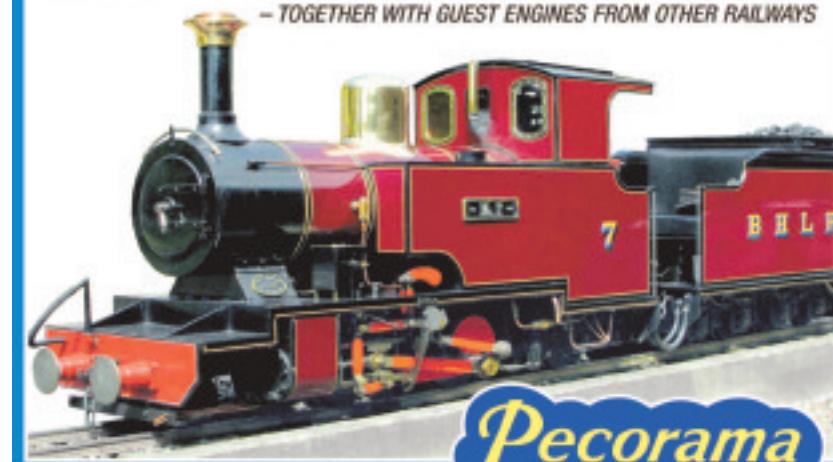
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◆ THIS year for the first time the annual Dalwood 12K Run was held during the village fair week. On Wednesday evening 60 runners set off from the centre of the village on the challenging run. Pictured are the runners at the race start outside the Tuckers Arms pub

# In the reporter's shoes

Written by  
reporter

ANDERS LARSSON



## Swine flu fear

I DIDN'T realise how fearful other countries are of English swine flu until I went on holiday at the end of July.

Spending two weeks in my native Sweden was a nice break from the daily routine, but I was met with constant suspicion.

Whilst many of the remarks could have passed for light-hearted banter, I detected an underlying fear that I was a ticking swine flu bomb despatched by enemy forces and about to detonate.

"I hope you didn't bring that swine flu with you from England" or words to that effect greeted me more or less on a daily basis.

It was actually the first question my dad asked me as I stepped off the airport train in Malmö.

And you should have seen my fellow Swedes' faces when I developed a cough only a few days into my holiday.

One bloke initially insisted I travelled in the back seat of his car as opposed to the front passenger seat — not that I could see what difference it would make.

The fact that the second passenger had spent a day in London when changing flights didn't exactly ease the worries of our unfortunate driver.

I told him that swine flu actually seems to be a Mexican invention, but my argument failed to cut any ice and resulted in an oratory involving England, Mad Cow Disease, Foot and Mouth and swine flu.

Yes, my cough could have been a symptom of swine flu. But the fact that I took vigorous exercise and sent people packing in various racquet sports should have been enough to make the assorted Swedes realise it was nothing more than a harmless cough.

We all have our fears and worries, and I don't really mean to joke about a relatively serious issue. I say relatively serious because we aren't talking Ebola or Black Death here, are we?

And, more to the point, why single out residents of England for crying out loud? Yes, we had had a number of cases when I went on holiday, but which nation hadn't?

By all means, blame us for bringing bad weather — but not swine flu. I use the words "we" and "us" in the loosest of senses as I'm not exactly a local.

A fact I was recently reminded of when a fellow Axminster resident sent me a text message.

The message kindly informed me that the new emergency phone number for immigrants like myself to be 089845457687542 343446889678...and so on — a number so long you would probably die before you've finished dialling!

With friends like that, who needs enemies?



◆ NIECE Olivia keeping up to date with local news

Anyway, it was a lovely holiday despite the poor weather. And, believe it or not, not everyone looked at me with suspicion.

My two-year-old niece, Olivia, and the family dog, Ace, were examples of that as they greeted me with their usual enthusiasm and didn't ask any awkward questions.

But leaving Sweden on August 5th wasn't the end of the swine flu panic, though. I called my brother the next Sunday for a chat. The day before I had been to Leeds for The Grecians' first game of the season, yelling myself hoarse.

At the end of our conversation my brother admitted that, before realising I had been to football, he thought my bad voice was swine flu related and they needed to get themselves checked out!

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# The EDDC gets Wet and Wild with activitiy filled weekend at Axe Estuary

BY BEN MIDDLETON  
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EAST Devon District Council's (EDDC) countryside service will be running its Wet and Wild Weekend on the Axe Estuary Wetlands from Friday, August 21st until Sunday, August 23rd.

A range of free activities has been organised for the annual event.

From 10am until 4pm on all three days there will be pond dipping and bird watching.

Special events on the Friday include

muddy history — a chance for youngsters to learn about archeology — a water vole and otter walk and an evening bat walk.

On Saturday there will be an early moth breakfast from 8am and Seaton Visitor Centre Trust will be hosting an event called Wild Art and storytelling from 10am until 4pm.

Activities taking place on the Sunday include meet the fish — local fishermen will show something they have caught — and bushcraft.

Bird watching sessions will take place at Black Hole Marsh from 6pm

on the Friday and Saturday evenings.

All of the activities are based at Seaton Marshes Local Nature Reserve.

There is no need to book for any of the events apart from the evening storytelling at Seaton Marshes and bird watching evenings at Black Hole Marsh.

For more information on any of the events being held during Wet and Wild Weekend on the Axe Estuary Wetlands contact 01395 517557 or alternatively you can e-mail ktobin@eastdevon.gov.uk.

## Police team is recruiting

BY ANDERS LARSSON  
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A DIRECT messaging scheme has been in operation for six months, and the neighbourhood policing team at Axminster wants more to join.

To achieve the aim, members of the public can now join online.

Officially known as the Community Messaging Scheme, it is a way for the town's police to make immediate contact with residents by a recorded telephone message or email.

It is used to warn residents of scams and bogus callers, to seek information about crimes, to ask for help in locating missing persons and much more.

The scheme's most prominent achievements so far include playing a part in:

- The arrest of a door-to-door salesman who had links to distraction burglaries.
- The arrest of two Chinese males for selling contraband tobacco. Both males were in the country illegally.
- Locating and identifying tarmackers who were breaching Trading Standards regulations.

Sergeant Peter Trudgeon said: "Since starting the scheme over 1,600 homes have signed up. That's almost a third of the homes in the area. Police are keen to get everyone on the scheme."

"It has massive benefits to both the police and residents and is helping to build a safer place for residents to live."

At the launch of the scheme Sergeant Trudgeon said he would be relatively happy with a take-up rate of 80-90 per cent.

Police have signed people up by going from door to door, which has proved quite time-consuming.

Registration forms are also available in selected outlets but police have also decided to offer online registration.

The registration form is available at neighbourhoodpolicing.devon-cornwall.police.uk — without the www.

Key in your postcode in the relevant field to access the Axminster police page.

The website also has pictures of your neighbourhood team, news of what they are doing and dates of when they will be in your area for contact.

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## Police make arrest after public tip-off

A MAN from Taunton has been arrested in Axminster on suspicion of possessing a controlled drug.

Police were called to Millwey Rise Industrial Estate at 5.17am on Tuesday, August 11th.

A member of the public had observed a torch light and heard a suspicious noise.

Officers found two men, who were both searched and one was found to be in possession of a substance believed to be a controlled drug.

No action was taken with regards to the suspicious activity on the estate and the arrested man has been bailed pending analysis of the substance.

## Fundraising event at hall

A FUND raising event in aid of Help for Heroes is set to take place at Whitford Village Hall on Saturday, August 22nd.

Help for Heroes raises money for injured service men and women.

The Whitford event will run from 10am until 2pm and a team of ladies will be serving a variety of homemade refreshments.

Music will be provided and a special guest will be in attendance.

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# Young volunteers help during summer break

BY BEN MIDDLETON  
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YOUNG volunteers in Honiton have spent a week of their summer holidays cleaning up The Glen.

The youngsters from Honiton Youth Centre have completely rebuilt a

flight of rustic steps, repaired a damaged fence and cut and removed about five tonnes of overgrown Laurel.

Working with Alan Fowler, Dave Seal and Barry Bending from East Devon District Council's (EDDC) StreetScene service, the volunteers had to shift all the materials needed at

the site by hand, including about two tonnes of stone scalplings for the path.

The five tonnes of timber that was cut also had to be carried out by hand from the stream valley.

EDDC's youth champion, Iain Chubb, said: "I'm delighted to see the fine work these young people have done to improve their neighbourhood."

"It just goes to show what can be done by a small group of enthusiastic volunteers who really care about their neighbourhood."

A spokesperson for the Glen Regeneration Group added: "We welcome volunteers to help with the work, especially younger people who care about their environment."



◆ PICTURED, Jamie Taylor, Nick Guscott, Sapphire Jones, Hazel Woodley, Lewis Gillingham and Zowie Warner along with Andy Shiach and Louie Lane from Honiton Youth Centre and East Devon District Council's StreetScene team in green

## Website on local history

A NEW website focusing on the history of Chardstock and All Saints has just been launched.

The website has been put together by members of the Chardstock Historical Records Group and features over 1,000 pages of information.

Information about the parish census, house histories, land surveys and photographs are all available on the website.

For more information visit [www.chardstockwebmuseum.org](http://www.chardstockwebmuseum.org).

The historical records group will be hosting a book launch at Archway Bookshop, Church Street, Axminster, on Tuesday, August 25th between 6pm and 8pm.

The book features a history of education in Chardstock and All Saints between 1712 and 2009.

Wine and food will be provided and there will also be a chance to meet the book's author, Peter Wood.

Profits from the sales of the book will be shared between Chardstock and All Saints Primary Schools.

## Firefighters attend RTC

FIRE crews from Honiton, Chard, Ilminster and the specialist rescue vehicle from Exmouth were called to reports of a three car crash on the A303 at Marsh, near Honiton.

The incident happened just after 10am on Wednesday, August 12th.

One man was released before the arrival of the fire service.

The crews made the vehicles and area safe. Police and ambulance were also on the scene.

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# Former Child of the Year will celebrate turning 18

◆ A FORMER Pulman's Weekly News Child of the Year competition winner is about to turn 18. Lisa White (pictured right), of Dalwood, won the competition in 1992. Child of the Year ran throughout the early 90s and attracted hundreds of entries every year. The winning child received a framed picture, a trophy and there was also a write up in the paper. The former Axe Valley student took a year out from her studies but is due to start a course at the Richard Huish College in Taunton in September. She is set to study accountancy, business studies, geography and performance art. She is also heavily involved with the Axminster Young Farmers Club. Lisa will be celebrating her birthday on Friday, August 21st and mum and dad, Margaret and Derek, said there is going to be a surprise in store for their first born

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## country scene

Written by countryside correspondent

**TONY JACKSON**



## Swift decline of butterflies turns around

READERS may recall that I mentioned the sighting of a mystery bird at one of my feeders in the garden. Brown, with the appearance of a nutcracker but lacking the white flecks which define this bird, it darted onto the nut-dispenser, had a quick peck and then vanished.

The mystery is now solved and I am mortified. Mike Tyler who leads the Axe Estuary Ringing Group points out that this was nothing more exotic than a young starling! Now, of course, I realise how right he is. Admittedly, in my defence, the sighting was only a brief glimpse but I should have known better. Mike reminds me that during the six years he was Devon County Bird Recorder he regularly received calls at this time of the year relating to nutcracker sightings on peanut holders, all of which were, of course, juvenile starlings, sackcloth and ashes.

However, no problem identifying the many butterflies which have been feasting on a large buddleia in the garden during the recent sunny weather. The purple-flowered bush has been shimmering with peacocks, red admirals, the three whites . . . large, small and green-veined . . . painted ladies and, best of all, dozens of small tortoiseshells. The previous two or three summers had seen a swift and dramatic decline in these lovely butterflies due, it was thought, to the assaults of a parasitic fly which attacks the larvae and certainly, last year I could have counted the number of small tortoiseshells seen on one hand.

However, last autumn there was an influx of these butterflies from the Continent into the southern counties of England and it would appear that they hibernated and have successfully produced a substantial number of offspring. It may well be that the parasitic fly which caused the initial problem created its own downfall by wiping out its host.

Butterflies do have the ability to bounce back from a down-turn, given reasonable weather conditions and food supplies. Only a few days ago I spent several hours watching for roe deer in the rut on a large Hampshire estate. The woodland was criss-crossed by broad rides, most of which were fringed with wild flowers, and notably thistles. It was a warm, muggy day and the sunlight filtered through the trees and lit up the rides which were alive with speckled woods, gatekeepers and silver-washed fritillaries. It was an encouraging sight and makes me believe that this year, despite the rains in July, may well prove to be a notable one for butterflies.

Incidentally, this particular estate, not far from Basingstoke, is now over-run by muntjac deer and it is proving extremely difficult, if not impossible, to control and manage their numbers. Small, weighing only around 30-40lbs, these deer breed year-round, are secretive and hide away in thick cover. First introduced to Woburn by the 11th Duke of Bedford in 1984, the Chinese muntjac is now rapidly colonising the countryside and is prolific in the Midlands and much of southern England. So far there have been only sporadic reports of its presence in the West Country but I have not the slightest doubt that it will infiltrate the region in substantial numbers over the next decade or so. As soon as we receive reports of road casualties then one may be certain that the population is well established.

With its hunch-backed appearance and small size, the deer is really unmistakeable as, too, is the destruction it can cause, particularly to gardens. An expanding population can also bring severe damage to the environment, particularly to woodland under-storey growth, such as bluebells and other ground flora. In their favour, muntjac are excellent table fare, and compare favourably with roe. If any readers think they have spotted muntjac I would be very interested to hear from them.



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# CHARD TOWN COUNCIL August 2009

# Newsletter



## Town Clerk Writes ...

It's Summer - and the town looks resplendent! Once again our Amenities Staff have done a wonderful job with the flowerbeds and the hanging baskets. Many towns people and businesses have purchased hanging baskets and together with those supplied by the Council we are in a good state to receive the South West In Bloom judges who will decide if we have done enough to rise to Gold standard. There are many aspects to entering this competition, the entries into the Neighbourhood Awards - ten this year, the efforts by the school children of the town and also the effort by our band of volunteers from Chard in Bloom. A true team effort.



The impending work within the Guildhall has generally met with wide approval. I say 'generally' because the old adage of 'you can't please all of the people all of the time' is never more true than in local government and especially where The Guildhall is concerned. I have not received one letter, or phone call, of objection to the Council's plans but sadly a few people have penned their complaints in the Guildhall comments book located in the foyer. I wonder if these same people, who rarely sign their names or give their addresses will be the same people who will come and ask for help or advice when the work is finished?

At the next Town Council meeting members will decide whether or not to opt for the use of The Power of Wellbeing. This is a power that has been enjoyed by the District and County Councils for some time but has only been extended to Town and Parish Councils from the 2007 Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act. Chard Town Council now fits the criteria for opting to use this power that is very far reaching and allows the Council to spend money, or support any project or activity, not just within Chard but now, for the first time, outside of Chard. This opens up the possibility of being able to work much more closely with surrounding parishes through 'partnering' and 'clustering' of resources. Without the Power of Wellbeing this is simply not possible so acquiring the power opens up many opportunities. Chard is certainly moving forward and positioning itself as a leader within the wider community.

**John Furze, Town Clerk**

## Chard's Community Development Officer

It's been 6 months since I joined the team in Area West and my workload has mainly been taken up with getting to know everyone, finding out who's who and what's already going on in Chard. I feel like I've settled in now, although I'm continually amazed by everything that happens in the town. So what does a Community Development Officer do? My role is about working with local groups to help them identify issues and develop solutions.



I work closely with Rob Murray on the work with the Chard Regeneration Scheme, consulting with the young people of Chard, and I will be getting more closely involved with the Community Forum. The next one will be looking at the implementation plans for the scheme in September. We are also planning to have a big public event to launch the scheme and get approval from the wider community.

I've been looking at the Arts provision in Chard and speaking to local groups to find out their issues. Several projects have come out of the work, which include: developing a database of the venues available for hire; looking at the possibility of having a 'Whats on' webpage for Chard and holding a networking event for arts based groups. I'm also in the process of submitting an application for funding to help improve Chard's retail streets by providing money for shop front improvements and getting art displays by local artists and students in to empty shops. If successful I hope to start work on the project in January.

I think Chard is a great place to live and work but in some cases it's the perception people have of the area that lets it down. By building on the good partnership working which is already happening across the District, Town and County Council, and getting local people more involved with the decisions, Chard will grow and flourish.

**Claire Littlejohn**

## Jocelyn Park Playbuilder Project

The purpose of this report is to inform everyone of the work process to date of the Jocelyn Playbuilder project. Government investment through the Department for Children, Schools and Families (DCSF) awarded Somerset a grant of £1.1 million in 2007. The County Council received the funding and allocated amounts to each District. The SSDC allocation was £278k. Jocelyn Park was one of several sites in South Somerset that was identified in a site prioritisation process undertaken by SSDC staff and the portfolio holder for possible improvements in play.



A few months ago Sandra Pittwood, Office Manager, and myself attended a presentation given by Play officers at SSDC where we were informed that Jocelyn Park was within 2009/10 provisional funding programme. We were also informed that Barnardo's would be assisting us in the consultation at no cost to the Town Council. In mid April Barnardo's met with us and the Amenities Chairman to discuss the project and the consultation process. We also helped Barnardo's with a view of our local knowledge of Jocelyn Park. In early June we were invited by SSDC to meet six potential landscape design companies, for ours and other projects in South Somerset. This was an all day presentation and a necessary part of the project programme. A decision as to which company we decide to engage with is yet to be made. We recently met representatives from two of these firms at Jocelyn Park so they could have a better understanding of our site and give us their ideas.

Finally both Sandra and I along with a play officer visited two successfully completed playbuilder sites in Taunton, this was done to get a better idea on design for our own innovative project. This concludes my report.

**Cllr Dave Bulmer**

**Councillor's Surgery Saturday 4 September 2009**  
Friday 4 September in the Guildhall Foyer, 11:30am – 12:30pm  
**Cllr Mrs Jenny Kenton, Cllr Stephen Dowell, Cllr Garry Shortland**

## The Mayor Writes ...

In my first newsletter, I want to thank everyone who has sent kind letters, made phone calls, and stopped either myself, or Garry, in the street to congratulate me on becoming your Mayor. I am immensely proud to be the seventh lady Mayor of Chard. My first few weeks have been hectic, and both Garry and I have been touched by the kindness and generous hospitality we have received whilst attending civic functions. It was especially pleasing to see so many friends at the Mayor Making ceremony in the Guildhall.



As Mayor, I get to choose a charity for my year and I have chosen the various Cancer Charities. Please join with me over the coming year to help raise as much as possible for these very worthwhile causes. Sadly, cancer is something that appears to affect every family, and survival rates are better now than they have ever been, but the research organisations and the support charities need every penny they can get. I hope you will help me make this a really special Charity Year. If your company, or group, are holding a fund raising event please consider giving a proportion of the funds raised to the 'Mayor's Appeal Fund' – and if you would like me to attend your event please do contact the office.

There are many challenges ahead of Chard and its Council in the year ahead. The effects of the economic crisis are felt everywhere and Chard is not immune to them. Nevertheless, the town is picking itself up and once again starting to take its rightful place within the wider community. The Regeneration Plan is starting to unfold and there are many opportunities available to us that we must grab as they pass by – if we don't, we might not get another chance. Your Council is eager to be close to you and in-touch with your needs and aspirations. Do please stop us in the street, drop in at the Councillors Surgeries, send us letters, or just pick up the phone and let us know what YOU want for our town. If we are doing something right – tell us! Equally, if you feel we are out of step please do tell us. Together, we can achieve anything – if we all pull together. Chard has a long history of rising from difficult times, with head held high. I am sure this will be no different but it does need us to work together and to keep our community strong.

**Jill Shortland, Mayor**

## A View From The Ward - Holyrood

I have been a councillor for nearly two years and, in that time, I and a few of my fellow councillors have found the wheels of the democratic process are well oiled but still seem to turn slow and things do get done. I am pleased to see that the roads on the Halcombe Estate have been resurfaced, thus removing the pot holes which presents a hazard to both bike and car users alike.



I was saddened, a few weeks ago, to see the vandalism that was done to both the flower caterpillar, near the Chard School playgroup and Crowshutte House a much used venue, but was pleased that the Cats (Chard Amateur Theatre Society) younger members, the Kittens, could still put on their show on Wednesday the 7th. Indeed I may be a biased father of one of the Kittens who had taken part, but I was proud to see all of the younger pantomime stars of the future enjoying both dancing singing and playing instruments to such a high standard, Chard should be proud of the talents we have not only with this particular organization, but all the organizations within Chard run for the youth of Chard and the surrounding area.

I hope with the future plans to move the Town Council Offices into the Guildhall will mean that the Council is more accessible to the public. This is what my fellow Councillors and I feel is needed for Chard. The changes to the Guildhall, I feel, are long overdue. This will make use of space, which is now used infrequently, and turned into the Town Council Offices. If you have a problem in the ward please don't hesitate to contact me, my telephone number is available on the town council website which is <http://www.chard.gov.uk> or by telephoning the Town Council on 01460 260378

**Councillor David J E Orchard**

## Moving In And Moving On ...

The Town Clerk and administration staff are moving into a purpose built office facility in the Guildhall, bringing the Town Council closer to the people of Chard. This will create a 'one stop shop' for members of the public to contact their local Council. Extra cabling, which will facilitate internal communication networking and electrics, is being installed in preparation for the move to the Guildhall. Indeed to date something in excess of 14,000 metres of cabling has been used and it is not finished yet. This work is being funded from Council reserves and will not cause an increase in the precept next year. The vision for Chard Town Council is consolidation and communication, making us more accessible to those we serve.



## Our Senior Management team, how to contact them ...

Chard Town Council has a Senior Management Team covering all the main responsibilities of the Council. Members of the Team are available to the public if there are specific matters that need to be addressed.

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Additionally messages can be conveyed by accessing our website [www.chard.gov.uk](http://www.chard.gov.uk).

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## Chard Town Council – Meeting Dates 2008/2009

Town Council – 3rd Monday of the month  
Planning & Highways – 2nd Tuesday of the month

Finance & Personnel – last Tuesday of January, March, May, July, September, November

Amenities – 6th October 2009,  
5th January 2010 and 2nd March 2010  
Guildhall & Tourism –  
3rd November, 2nd February 2010 and 6th April 2010

Agendas for each meeting are published a week in advance and are posted on the Town Council noticeboard display area in Howards Row and on the Council website [www.chard.gov.uk](http://www.chard.gov.uk). All committee meetings will be held in the Town Hall unless otherwise stated and will commence at 7.30 pm.

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# Consider food issue in supermarket war

**EDITOR** — I have read with interest many of the letters relating to the proposed development of supermarkets around east Devon.

Understandably, many of the points raised are fairly parochial ones, relating to promised facilities for the town involved, benefits for the local economy, creation of jobs etc.

I would like to introduce a slightly different perspective which I have not seen in these discussions — that of food security.

Whilst these companies display a spectrum of ethical standards which probably ranges from Tesco at the bottom to the Co-op at the top, the concept of the supermarket itself and its effect on food retailing has several very fundamentally destructive effects on our local economies, the environment and our communities.

We should also recognise that we are almost certainly at the peak of the supermarket era and that their dominance will now decline.

Many of the arguments relating to loss of local jobs, damage to the local economy and the broader environmental harm caused by supermarkets are well documented and aired.

The tricks and gimmicks these supermarket chains use to bribe local people into accepting their stores will be shown up for what they are.

However, the issue of food security is one which will now increasingly come to the fore. It is also an increasingly topical issue which many of us are responding to by growing our own, buying organic and supporting local produce.

This trend towards the local is to be welcomed and encouraged and it will gradually undermine the insidious effect of supermarkets on our everyday lives.

Perhaps most importantly it will empower many people to recognise the power we all have in determining our future.

Thus, for every purchase of local produce we make we are supporting a local grower — conversely that same expenditure in the supermarket is denying that income to local growers.

But each time we buy local growers' produce we not only reduce our environmental impact but we are giving something back to our community rather than denying it to them.

Food security then is something

under our control — for those who recognise it.

At present, we are all at the mercy of the financial decisions made by supermarket chains. And when the energy crisis really starts to bite, which it inevitably will in the near future, we will become painfully aware of our vulnerability resulting from our dependence on these retail giants.

So, I would ask all who follow the discussions relating to new supermarkets to consider the issues in this broader context.

We may have come to accept this way of shopping as normal, much as we accepted the recent artificial growth in the financial sector, but we are inevitably coming to a period of sober reflection and recognition of the wider costs this has, for all of us as well as to the environment.

*Phil Foggett  
Feniton*

## STAR LETTER

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# Group builds a head of steam

## Locals should visit museum

**EDITOR** — Having lived and worked in this town all my life I am amazed that so many locals have not visited the Heritage Museum and don't even know where it is or what it is all about.

Thomas Whitty put Axminster on the map and the name of Axminster is world famous due to him and his skills. I know I am somewhat prejudiced having worked for Axminster Carpets for over 48 years, but, honestly, the story is a fascinating one and one we should all be very proud to be associated with.

I have always thought that Axminster undersells itself and we have so very much of which to be proud, Danny Jaffe and his feather factory, Axminster Power Tools to name but two.

Do come along and have a look at the Heritage Museum in Thomas Whitty House, Silver Street. It will cost you nothing unless you choose to buy a pen or a postcard and it does represent our heritage in Axminster.

*Michael P J Steer  
Vine House  
Lyme Road  
Axminster*

## Book success

**EDITOR** — Thank you Dalwood. On Sunday, August 2nd you helped me launch my book *My Name is Matilda*, the life of my great, great grandmother from Dalwood Hill Farm.

So many villagers contributed while I was over here doing the research and I was gratified so many of you joined in the celebration of its publication.

My thanks to the Tuckers Arms for hosting it and to Archway Bookshop in stocking the book. My thanks to you all for making it a great success.

Why not have your say on local issues which are important to you? Send your letters to the editor: Pulman's View from, Tindle House, South Street, Axminster,

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*David White*

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## Slugs have feelings too

**EDITOR** — I was visiting Axminster last Tuesday, July 14th when I noticed the free newspaper.

I decided to read it when I got home, well when I read the Star Letter I felt sick and had to reply to email.

I agree slug pellets are awful but so is cutting a poor slug in half and the crushing of the elegant snails, I wonder if Claire Wise would like to be cut in half and crushed, all animals and creatures have feelings.

Also she is herself taking the natural food away from the birds and hedgehogs. Nature has put the flowers and shrubs for wildlife to eat. I am an atheist but if Claire is religious then perhaps she will have to answer to HIM in the long run.

Valerie Okehampton

**EDITOR** — Seaton, Beer and District Branch of the RNLI would like to thank all residents and visitors who gave generously during our annual street collections in 2009.

The totals were: Beer, Saturday, July 4th £343.55, Seaton, Saturday, July 18th, including Co-op Seaton, £575.88, Colyton, Saturday, July 29th £122.36.

During Beer Lifeboat Week on Sunday, July 5th the proceeds from our fourth annual Duck Races down Beer Brook raised £430.

We would like to thank the following businesses for their generosity in sponsoring or donating prizes for the Duck Races as well as the coffee mornings held on Saturday, July 4th and Wednesday, July 8th that raised a further £219.80.

The Quiz Night on Friday, July 10th hosted by Beer Social Club raised a further £124.50.

The businesses are as follows:

Anchors Inn; Bank House; Bay View Guest House; Bay View Tea Rooms; Barrel O'Beer; Beer Divers; Beer Fish & chip Shop; Beer News; Beer Pharmacy; Beer Post Office; Beer Quarry Caves; Beer Village Store; Belmont House; Breakaway Holidays; Bumbles Locker; Colbeck House; Chapple's Tea Hut; Captain's Cottage Tea Room; Dolphin Hotel; Duck's Beach Cafe; Durham House Hotel; Focal Research; Jimmy Green Marine; JMM Fisheries; Kenna's Beach Cafe; Marine House Beer; Steam Art Galleries; Osbornes; Pecorama; Paul's Bakery; Paul Vine Electrics; Penny's Estate Agents; Rock Villa Off Licence; Steamers Restaurant; Village Hair Shoppe and Woollies Deli.

Following eight heats of Duck Races the winning duck, number three, from heat one went on to win

the grand final in the Pecorama Parade.

The winning duck's sponsor was a resident of Beer and received the prize of a family ticket to Pecorama.

Due to the generosity of the businesses in Beer each heat winner won a prize.

There were no Duck art entries this year. The Duck Races will return next year and there will also be duck competitions during the week.

The Open Gardens Charity Day, in aid of the RNLI and Guide Dogs for the Blind, at Pecorama on Sunday, July 19th raised £210.75 from the sale of RNLI gifts and souvenirs.

A further £216.05 was raised from the tombola and donations during the day.

A £500 donation has also been received from Pecorama and we thank them once again for their continuing support.

We are also appealing for storage facilities for our fundraising equipment and RNLI sales products.

A section of a secure garage or similar is required in Beer or Seaton. If you can help please contact us on 01297 23040.

Once again we thank all our volunteers and supporters and those who donated items, cakes, prizes or sponsorship for the events in this year's Beer Lifeboat Week.

We also thank everyone for the continuing support that is greatly appreciated by us here at the local branch and at RNLI headquarters.

**Wendy Cummins  
Secretary  
Seaton, Beer and District Branch  
RNLI**

**3 Belmont Terrace  
Causeway  
Beer**

## Link event unites town

**EDITOR** — The Colyton Link held a very successful coffee morning in Colyton Town Hall on Saturday, August 1st attended by large numbers from throughout the parish.

This was our first social event since Colyford joined the Colyton Link earlier this year.

We were so glad to see so many Colyford residents both as committee members, stall holders and supporters.

Thanks must go to all those throughout the parish who provided goods for the stalls and to the many who came to buy.

We raised £808. Our only fund raising event of the year.

The money raised is used to provide telephones for our hospital car service, printing, insurance, hire of hall and other administrative expenses.

Any surplus funds are ploughed back into the community.

**Pam Rattray  
Secretary Colyton Link  
Colyton**

## Enjoyable work experience

**EDITOR** — I am writing to thank you and the team for having me in the office recently.

I really enjoyed working as a journalist for the week and going with Ben and Anders to certain jobs.

I am really pleased that some articles that I wrote got into the paper and that I was an inside source for a front page story.

I learnt a lot of things and it has really motivated me to become a journalist in the future. I learnt how to

use the camera and how to write 'nibs' and what it stands for, which is news in brief.

When I first arrived I learnt how to put articles onto the website and how to take notes from local notice boards.

I most enjoyed writing the article about Honiton with Ben and I learnt a lot about writing shorthand notes and then typing them up.

My future ambition is to work for one of the national newspapers and this has inspired me to work harder

and achieve what I want.

I also got the chance to work with Lucy and use the franking machine for sending out newspaper subscriptions.

Thank you very much and I look forward to coming back in the summer.

Jez Lyman  
Student

Axe Valley Community College  
Axminster

## Flytipping increase

**EDITOR** — Flytipping, which is dangerous and unsightly and undertaken by the lazy and those determined to defraud others, is on the increase.

People cannot be bothered to drive to the nearest tip — and if commercial, pay their dues.

They expect others to clear up behind them.

If your paper is genuinely interested in serving its local community, how about allowing readers to report

flytipping sites, describing the contents.

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You're more likely to get the condition if you're overweight, or if you have a job that requires a lot of walking or standing on hard surfaces. You're also at risk if you walk or run for exercise, especially if you have tight calf muscles that limit how far you can flex your ankles. People with very flat feet or very high arches are also more prone to

plantar fasciitis. The condition starts gradually with mild pain at the heel bone often referred to as a stone bruise. You're more likely to feel it after (not during) exercise. The pain classically occurs again after arising from a midday lunch break.

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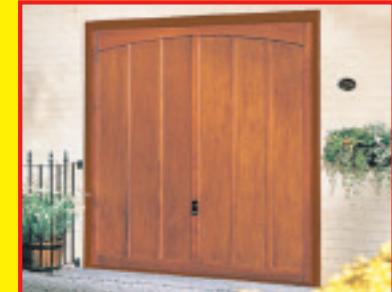
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## Councillors' concerns for recent crime

TWO serious incidents in Honiton have given councillors cause for concern.

During the recent town council meeting, on Monday, August 10th PC Ian Atyeo said he was unable to give specific details about a rape and a sexual assault that had taken place in the town within the last few weeks.

PC Atyeo also said there had been a drugs raid and heroin had been seized — the raid led to four people being arrested.

However, PC Atyeo stressed that the number of crimes being reported was down compared to the same period the previous year.

## Crime writer visits library

A BEST selling crime writer is set to visit Honiton Library.

Anne Perry will be at the New Street library from 2.30pm on Thursday, September 3rd to talk about her work.

A cream tea will be served during the event.

Tickets cost £3 and must be purchased in advance of the event from the library on 01404 42818.

For more information about Anne Perry visit [www.anneperry.net](http://www.anneperry.net).

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◆ SOUTHLIGH village fair was held last Wednesday afternoon, and the fine weather brought a large crowd to the show's many attractions. Right, the Diamond Cheer Squad who put on two displays during the afternoon. Above, local entertainers Ned and the Turmitt — Edwin Purchase and Jack Broom — kept visitors amused with their comic songs



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## Police pledge over parking

POLICE have pledged to keep an eye on obstructive parking in an Axminster street.

PC Darren Herridge attended Axminster Town Council's August meeting and said the constabulary is aware of problems in Alexandra Road.

He said that one ticket was recently issued after a parked car caused an obstruction and police will continue to "pay attention" to the street.

## Sign stolen from house

A HOUSE sign has been stolen from a property in Musbury Road, Axminster.

Police say that someone stole the sign from a property known as Highfield at some point from August 5th to 7th.

The sign has a blue background and Highfield written in white.

Anyone with information about this theft is asked to call 08452 777 444 and ask for Axminster police.

The crime reference number is KA/09/425.

## Church group

AXMINSTER Parish Church is starting a new children's group next month.

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Paula was asked on several occasions if her food could be sampled before booking so opening the tea room seemed like the perfect solution. As well as a great venue to sample food it is also a fantastic place for anyone to visit. Everything at the Tea Rooms is homemade, from sandwiches and ploughman's to tartlets and platters. Also cream teas and a beautiful selection of cakes. There is a huge selection of tea available, twenty one in total including chocolate flake, chamomile flowers, popcorn and liquorice and peppermint.

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# Pulman's

*View from the churches*

THIS week pride of place goes to Christians Together in Seaton and District, who have published a location list and map, together with an invitation to attend one of the local churches. In all, details of the Services of ten churches are listed, together with line drawings of the churches and local maps for Seaton, Axmouth, Colyton and Culliford.

Copies of this information in poster form, and laminated, have been sent to all churches for display. Do look out for the copy in your local church.

From the east of our territory, Father Michael Koppel, Roman Catholic Parish priest of Axminster, Lyme Regis and Seaton writes: "A feature of church life just now is the number of summer visitors we're welcoming to our services. No doubt many of them are looking for sun, sea and sand."

"But in a busy world some of them may also be looking for peace. And, happily, peace is something the countryside can offer. But only up to a point. Disturbance is never far away. But there's a very special peace our Lord offers us. 'My own peace I give you', he once said 'a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you'. Now that's a peace no disturbance can shatter."

Still at Axminster, The Minster Church of Mary the Virgin, is the venue for a musical treat on Sunday, August 30th at 3pm when Mike Collins, billed as 'the old crooner' will perform — cream teas are included, tickets £5 from the

Archway Bookshop 01297 33744.

Someone known to many in east Devon, is also in the news this week. It has just been announced that Canon Mark Rylands, the Diocesan Missioner for Exeter, has been appointed to be the next Area Bishop of Shrewsbury and so fill one of three such posts in the Diocese of Lichfield. Mark has become well known to local parishes for his work with young people and in developing new ways of ministry in their churches, and latterly in the celebrations for the 1,100th anniversary of Exeter Diocese.

Mark is married to Prebendary Mandy Rylands who is Diocesan Director of Ordinands and Bishop's Adviser for Women's Ministry. Mark will be consecrated at Westminster Abbey on Saturday, October 28th.

Encouraging for the many local families with service connections are the words of the Archbishop of York, Dr John Sentamu, who is on record for saying that service men and women must be properly honoured by the Government, not only in words but also in the spirit.

Turning now to events in our local churches — there was another concert in Colyton in support of the Choir Bursary Fund (which gives support to young choir members for voice training and learning an instrument). It was a recital by Daniel Rudge, former choir member who recently graduated and will be joining the staff of Wells Cathedral School shortly.

The next concert in this series will be on Sunday, August 30th at 3pm in a programme for flute and piano

including Gordon Langford's Suite for Piano Duet.

Seven choristers from Colyton Church Choir are attending a residential course at Bath this week. As a finale the course sings all the services at Bath Abbey.

Evensong is at 3.30pm on Sunday.

As this issue appears, on Tuesday August 18th, there is an event to support the Mission to Seafarers, which carries out the Anglican Church's ministry to seafarers and some will recall the stirring work for the crew of the ill-fated vessel Napoli off our coast. At 3 Roselands Cottages Dolphin Street Colyton from 2-5pm there is a Great Tea to raise funds for this mission work.

This Friday Ottery St Mary Church hosts an organ concert starting at 7.30pm, for which tickets are £6. Call 01404 813964 for information.

St Andrew's Church Colyton has been offering a monthly Lunch for years now but this summer the lunches have been suspended, owing to a fall off in numbers. All are welcome and anyone can come along — prior booking in St Andrews Church is necessary.

Plans are being made to restart the lunches commencing with the fourth Thursday in November — if you are interested please telephone Pam Rattray on 552212.

Looking ahead Colyton Benefice Churches are offering a series of Bible Studies based on the letters of St Peter, please sign up in your nearest church.

## Behind the scenes



◆ PICTURED from left, Audrey Rockett, customers Savile Burdett and Bob Farley of Kilmington Postscript, Jane Rockett and Keith Rockett

**BY ANDERS LARSSON**  
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AN Axminster business laid on drinks and nibbles — and offered customers a look behind the scenes to celebrate 40 years in business.

Axminster Printing Co Ltd was set up by Tony Rockett and his business partner Jim Sweetland all those years ago.

Both men were ably assisted by their wives, Audrey and Daphne respectively, and the business has

remained in the same town centre location ever since.

Today the company is run by Tony and Audrey's children, Jane and Keith Rockett, who are both directors.

Jane started work in the shop after leaving school in 1987, and Keith joined shortly afterwards.

"The shop looked really different when I started, it was just a long wooden chest with drawers in it", Jane recalls.

Printing techniques have also changed, Jane explains: "We still have lithographic machines but we also have a digital press which

enables shorter runs of colourwork.

"We are doing jobs now that people wouldn't have contemplated before because of the cost of lithographic printing."

The birthday party was held on Tuesday, August 11th and among visitors were a team from Channel Info, a specialist publication for the UK office market.

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# Online facility allows patients to rate hospitals

**BY ANDERS LARSSON**  
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THOSE receiving treatment at east Devon hospitals are able to rate areas such as cleanliness, car parking and waiting times online.

The online rating facility includes the community hospitals at Axminster, Honiton, Ottery St Mary and Seaton.

Patients now have the right to choose when and where they get

hospital treatment, so the scorecard can be used by patients who haven't decided where to have treatment.

Information on the site includes mortality rates, infection rates, cleanliness, staff performance and quality of food, as well as the views of people who have used the hospital's services.

Sally Slade, Devon Primary Care Trust's managing director of health and social care delivery, said: "Offering patients the option to rate

their hospital gives them real power and puts them at the heart of the NHS."

It is an online facility only, so those without a computer are asked to visit a library or any other place where computers are available for members of the public.

Feedback will be monitored and any abuse, including naming of staff, will not be posted.

The rating facility can be accessed via [www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk)

## Council inspectors to look for obstructions

COUNTY council inspectors have given prior warning they will tour Devon looking for advertising boards obstructing pavements.

A similar raid was carried out in November last year when at least two Axminster businesses in Chard Street had signs that were wrapped over bollards confiscated and taken to a

compound.

Councillor Stuart Hughes, Devon County Council Cabinet Member for Highways and Transportation, said: "Local businesses and traders have our utmost support, especially during these difficult economic times, but access and safety must be maintained."

"Illegal signs placed on public highways can be a danger to

pedestrians, especially people who are disabled, partially sighted or with pushchairs.

"Signs can be an obstruction if they are not displayed in a safe manner which enables everyone to use the footways."

A county council spokesperson said the inspection will not apply to privately-owned pavements.



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♦ THE Horticultural Society in Membury recently held its summer produce and craft show in the village hall. Steward Carol Castell is pictured with judges Lindsay Withycombe and Penny Pritchard as they judge the flower classes

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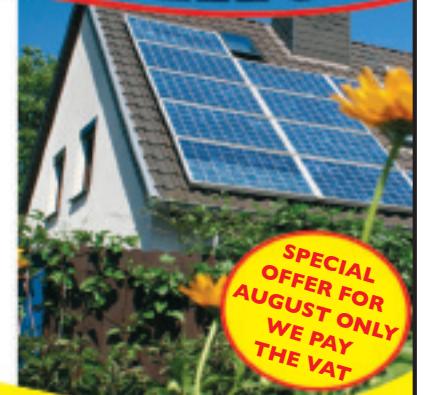
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## Open again for visitors

**PROSPECT** House in Axminster will again open its prize-winning gardens to the public as part of the National Gardens Scheme (NGS).

The last opening in early July raised nearly £1,000 for the charities sponsored by the NGS.

The gardens contain a vast array of unusual plants and are home to more than 200 varieties of salvias which were featured on BBC2's Gardeners World recently.

The gardens will be open on Saturday and Sunday, August 22nd and 23rd from 1.30pm to 5.30pm.

Prospect House is in Lyme Road and the entry fee is £3.

Charities supported by the NGS include Macmillan Cancer Support, Marie Curie Cancer Care, Crossroads - Caring for Carers, and local charities nominated by garden owners in the respective areas.

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◆ THE East Devon Flood Recovery Group organised a Flood Fair at The King's School in Ottery St Mary recently. The makers of flood defence equipment from all over the country came to show the variety of equipment they manufacture



PHOTO BY COLIN BOYERMAN

# Public get a chance to help shape a new children's play trail

BY BEN MIDDLETON  
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**RESIDENTS** in Honiton will be given the chance to help shape an area of the newly created play trail in the town.

The construction team, from Touch Wood Enterprises, have already been working on the site and are planning four days when members of the public can go along and help.

Safety gear will be provided and instructions for using the equipment will be provided.

Anyone interested should attend the site just off Battishorne Way, near the junction with Honiton Bottom Road, from 10am on Friday, August 28th.

The building work will also be carried out on the Saturday, Sunday and Bank Holiday Monday.

Toilet facilities will be available but

no refreshments will be provided.

Suitable footwear and clothing should also be worn.

For more information on attending the work session, contact East Devon District Council's play manager Isobel Ramsay on 01395 571708.

## Local band in regional final

**MELODIC** death metal band Cryostorm is one of 16 bands set to perform in the regional final of the Surface Unsigned Festival competition on Saturday, August 22nd.

Cryostorm consists of five members aged between 18 and 25, who all live in or around Axminster.

The band's singer is Rich Marley, who said: "Our new Ep, Vivify, is being released on the same day as the regional final for Surface Unsigned at Bristol O2 Academy — two big occasions for the band."

They were first of the three chosen bands from seven who had reached the semi-final. And if they get through the regional final they will perform at the national final at the O2 Arena in London.

The band is made up of experienced musicians, educated at the Academy of Music and Sound in Exeter.

More information about the band can be found at [www.myspace.com/cryostormband](http://www.myspace.com/cryostormband)

## Bingo in aid of cycle ride

**OTTER** Nurseries will be hosting a bingo night in aid of an Ottery man's quest to raise money for a stroke charity.

Matt Wintle, of Hillcrest, is set to take part in a 254 mile cycle ride from London to Paris for the National Stroke Association.

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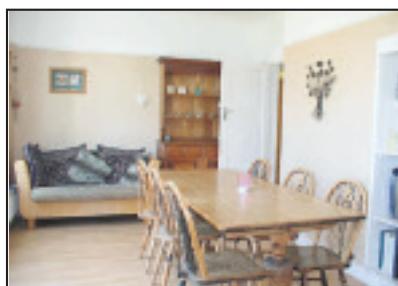
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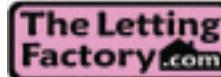
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The accommodation is large and flexible comprising five bedrooms, three bathrooms, two stair cases, a large landing, kitchen, dining room and hall with flagstone floors, large living room with inglenook fireplace and bread oven, two further reception rooms and a laundry room. In addition, there is a small attached annexe.

Outside, there are pretty gardens to front and side, a yard to the rear with a large open fronted barn/garage and beyond this lies a parcel of land, formerly an orchard comprising approx. 1.75 acres. Guide price £600,000. Call Gordon & Rumsby on 01297 553768.



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cooker and hob are provided. The bathroom leads off the front entrance hallway to the right and has a bath, with shower over, wash hand basin and WC.

Stairs lead from the living room, to the first floor landing where, on the right you will find bedroom 1 with window to the rear and on the left is bedroom 2, which has a window to the front aspect. There is a single fitted wardrobe in both bedrooms.

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with Jacuzzi type bath & shower over.

To the rear of the property there is a large courtyard providing ample parking (2 neighbouring properties do have right of access) and 3 outbuildings. Beyond the courtyard there is a beautiful established garden with many fruit trees. Also tucked away in the corner of this delightful garden is a lovely summer house.

Although not suited to very young children this property would make a lovely family home and children and small pets are welcome although the property is not suitable for smokers owing to the thatch. The property is



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**£325 PCM**



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Well appointed three bedroom modern house to let unfurnished six months plus. Sitting room, dining room, fitted office, fitted kitchen, utility, cloakroom, bathroom. G.F.C.H. Double glazed, carpets & curtains throughout. Garden, garage, parking. No DSS / pets / smokers. Children considered. Available Beg September.

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LYME REGIS - £219,950

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- Good Residential Location
- Lounge & Study
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- Utility & GF wc
- Garage and Gardens
- Sea & Countryside Views

- Spacious 1st & 2nd Floor Maisonette
- Prime Town Centre Position
- Three Bedrooms, Bathrooms
- Lounge, Kitchen/ Dining Room
- Some Period Features
- Grade II Listed



LYME REGIS - £125,000



RAYMONDS HILL - £379,500

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- Open Plan Living/Dining
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- Fascinating Grade II Listed Farmhouse
- Five Bedrooms, Three Bathrooms
- Kitchen, Laundry Room
- Four Reception Rooms
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- Spacious 4 Bedroom Home
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- Dining & Study Areas
- Beautiful Countryside Views
- PP to Extend



WEST BAY - £329,950

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- Three Large Bedrooms
- Three Reception Rooms
- Beautifully Presented
- Secluded Rear Garden with Workshop
- Short Walk to Beach and Harbour



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SEATON - £249,950



- Detached 1930's House
- Extended and upgraded
- 4 Bedrooms
- 24ft Lounge



- Office
- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Utility Room
- Ground floor WC

- Bathroom
- Front and Rear Gardens
- Off road parking
- Close to sea front and all amenities

COLYFORD - £339,950



- Detached bungalow
- Sought after Village location
- Immaculately presented
- Recently extended and upgraded



- Walking distance of the Grammar School
- Approx ¼ acre plot
- Lounge and Dining Room
- Kitchen with Larder & Utility
- Master bedroom with En-suite and dressing room
- 2 Further bedrooms
- Twin Garages & Ample parking

AXMOUTH - £260,000



- Period Cottage in sought after location
- Upgraded and modernised throughout
- Fantastic countryside views
- Terraced rear gardens



- Parking for 2 vehicles
- Master bedroom with Ensuite Wc
- Two further double bedrooms
- Full bathroom suite

- Lounge
- Kitchen/Dining Room
- Utility & Sep WC
- Garden Room

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SEATON - £245,000



- Detached Bungalow
- Western side of Town
- 3 Bedrooms
- Lounge



- Kitchen/Breakfast room
- Bathroom
- Conservatory
- Attached Garage

- Front & Rear Garden
- Parking
- UPVC double glazing
- On the Hail & Stop Bus Route

SEATON - £67,500



- Period Apartment
- Character Features
- 2nd Floor
- Town centre location
- Close to seafront & Beach



- Ideal FTB/Investment property
- Lounge
- Bedroom
- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Part upvc Double glazing
- Night storage heater
- Internal viewing Essential

SEATON - £179,950



- Semi-detached bungalow
- Sought after residential area
- Lounge/dining room
- Kitchen



- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Garage
- Parking for 3 vehicles

- South facing Garden
- On the 'Hail & Stop' bus route
- Walking distance of the town & Beach
- uPVC D/G & GFCH

SEATON - £199,950



- Western Side of Town
- Detached Bungalow
- 2 Double bedrooms
- Lounge/Dining Room



- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Rear Porch
- Attached Garage
- Large garden
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AXMINSTER - 3/4 BEDROOMS - £175,000

**NEW**

A charming and deceptive 3/4 bedroom attached period cottage tucked away just off the centre of Axminster. The property has double glazing, gas central heating and parking space to the front. There are 2 bedrooms on the first floor with a bathroom whilst a further 2 connecting bedrooms/attic rooms can be found on the second floor. There is also a small roof terrace at the rear. A full viewing is essential to appreciate this individual property.

SEATON - EXTENDED BUNGALOW - £229,950

**NEW**

A very deceptive extended 3/4 bedroom bungalow that has versatile accommodation. It has been used as an annexe as it has 2 sitting rooms, 2 kitchens, 2 shower rooms and garden room. There is extensive double glazing and gas central heating. Outside there are good sized enclosed rear gardens with summer house and shed, whilst to the front is a long driveway providing ample parking.

SEATON - 4 BEDS - £219,950

**NEW**

SEATON - £249,950



A beautifully presented detached 2 bedroom bungalow enjoying views across to the Axe estuary to the rear. The property has undergone extensive modernisation with smart kitchen and shower room, en-suite toilet. Both bedrooms are double size and there is gas central heating and double glazing. Outside there are low maintenance landscaped rear gardens, detached garage and parking. A full viewing is essential to appreciate this property.

SEATON - 7 BEDROOMS - GUIDE PRICE £326,000

**NEW**

An substantial 7 bedroom period town house situated within walking distance of Seaton town centre. The property has a wealth of accommodation spread over 4 floors and could be suitable for 2 families or converted to flats (subject to any consents). There are many character features including period fireplaces, exposed floor boards and sash windows. The property has gas central heating, an enclosed rear courtyard, parking to the front and the current owners rent an additional area of garden opposite.

LYME REGIS SEA FRONT - £325,000

**NEW**

A fabulous 3 bedroom grade II listed first floor apartment set back just off the sea front at Lyme Regis with views to the harbour and Lyme Bay. The property will make an ideal holiday or main home and has a good size accommodation with 20' living room, large modern fitted kitchen/breakfast room, master bedroom with en-suite shower room, 2 further bedrooms and rear balcony. There is gas central heating and the property is offered with no ongoing chain.

SEATON - CLOSE TOWN - £195,000



AXMINSTER - CLOSE TOWN - £195,000



SEATON - GUIDE PRICE £199,950

A detached 2 bedroom bungalow situated at the end of a cul-de-sac in a popular location close to the town centre. The property which has extensive double glazing and gas central heating will benefit from some up-dating. Outside there are good size private rear gardens, garage and parking. The property is offered with no ongoing chain.

A well maintained detached double fronted 2 bedroom bungalow situated in a cul-de-sac in a pleasant location. The property has double glazing and gas central heating with good sized enclosed rear garden, driveway and garage. The property has no ongoing chain.

SEATON - 1.5 MILES - £299,950

COLYTON - £460,000



An extended 4 bedroom detached house situated at the end of a cul-de-sac with enclosed gardens with a southerly aspect. The property has an extended kitchen and dining room, utility, sitting room, cloakroom, master bedroom with shower, 3 further bedrooms, family bathroom, double glazing and gas central heating. There is a garage and driveway to the front.

SEATON 1.5 MILES - £299,950



A substantial 5 bedroom attached period house situated on the edge of this popular village with views to the rear across to open countryside. Mill House has accommodation spread over 3 floors with 5 double bedrooms, bathroom, sitting and dining room, kitchen, pantry and useful attached 2 storey workshop/store with potential to create additional accommodation (subject to any consents). There are good size enclosed gardens to the rear and a driveway to the side.

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**SEATON**

A pair of plots on Beer Road with detailed planning permission. PP for three storey houses each with four beds, gardens, parking and sea views. Ref: 33134/9

**GUIDE: PER PLOT £300,000** 01404 45885

**TALATON**

**5 ACRES**

**NEW INSTRUCTION - A large modern farmhouse, farm shop and nursery business.** 4 beds, sitting room, kitchen/ dining room, study / bedroom 5, bath and en-suite. Ref: 33078/9

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**SHUTE** **6.7 ACRES**

An outstanding detached house in wonderful decorative order in a lovely elevated setting with majestic views to the Axe estuary. 4 beds, 3 bath /shower, 1 bed annexe. Ref: 28711/1

**GUIDE PRICE £895,000** 01404 45885

**MONKTON**

Charming cottage enjoying rural views. Sitting room with inglenook, dining room, conservatory, kitchen with Aga, 3 beds, study/bed 4. Attached barn, garden and garage. Ref: 32307/9

**GUIDE £320,000** 01404 45885

**LOXBARE**

**NEW INSTRUCTION - A Grade II Listed converted barn offering extensive accommodation set in a pretty courtyard of three, in a picturesque rural setting overlooking Devon countryside.** 4 bedrooms, 2 en-suites. Workshop, Linhay and large gardens. Ref: 33260/9

**EXCESS £375,000**



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**COLYFORD**

**NEW INSTRUCTION - Outstanding opportunity to purchase a brand new house, currently under construction, with wonderful views, (2 plots available).** 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, breakfast room, gardens & garage. Ref: 32727/9

**GUIDE'S FROM £499,950**

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**AXMOUTH**

**NEW PRICE - A beautiful period country cottage with wonderful hidden garden.** 2 bedrooms, bathroom, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, courtyard and large garden. Ref: 33044/9

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**STOCKLAND**

**A beautifully presented period house in the popular Devon village.** With separate detached 3 bedroom cottage. Detached office, double garage and wonderful private gardens. Ref: 32830/9

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**LUPPITT**

**A superb equestrian property.** Contemporary 4 bed barn conversion and detached 3 bed cottage. Excellent stables and courtyard, arena and fantastic views. Ref: 32611/9

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**SEATON**

**Wonderfully light and deceptively spacious extended chalet style property with sea views.** Outstanding accommodation including 5 beds. Gardens of over third an acre. Ref: 32541/9

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Coombe Orchard, Axmouth - £225,000



- Semi-detached three bedroom house
- Reception hall
- Dual aspect lounge
- Kitchen/dining room
- Rear lobby and wc
- Spacious landing



- Three bedrooms
- Shower room
- Propane gas central heating
- uPVC framed double glazing
- Large terraced gardens

- Off road parking
- Lovely views over fields and countryside
- Pretty village location
- Viewing highly recommended

Churston Rise, Seaton - £269,950



- A detached two bedroom bungalow
- Entrance vestibule
- Reception hall
- Galleried dining room
- Dual aspect lounge with feature stone fireplace

- Modern fitted kitchen
- Two good size bedrooms
- Bathroom/wc
- Large 36' foot conservatory
- Store room, Workshop
- Carport, Garage
- Gas central heating



- Extensive uPVC framed double glazing
- Beautiful gardens
- Views of the estuary, Axe Cliff and the sea
- Viewings highly recommended

Scalwell Mead, Seaton - £174,950



- Well presented semi-detached bungalow
- Good size lounge/dining room
- Two bedrooms
- Kitchen and / bathroom/wc
- GCH, Double glazing
- Garage and driveway
- Level, well tended gardens
- Popular residential area
- Internal viewings recommended

Axe View Road, Seaton - Price £195,000



- Well presented semi-detached bungalow
- Two good size bedrooms
- Modern fitted kitchen
- Recently refurbished bathroom
- GCH, uPVC double glazing
- Detached garage and three car driveway
- Enclosed south facing rear garden
- Quiet cul-de-sac position
- Situated within easy reach of the hospital, health centre and main bus routes

Newlands Park, Seaton - £234,950



- Attractive mid terrace family home
- Lounge
- Separate dining room
- Fitted kitchen
- Master bedroom with en-suite bathroom
- Three further bedrooms
- GCH, uPVC double glazing
- Off road parking
- Enclosed lawned rear garden
- Lovely views of the sea
- Quiet, well respected area

Fosseway Court, Seaton - £150,000



- Two bedroom apartment
- Reception hall
- "L" shaped lounge/dining room
- Sunroom with stunning sea and coastal views
- Modern fitted kitchen
- Two good size bedrooms
- Bathroom/shower/wc
- Electric heating
- Extensive uPVC framed double glazing
- Stunning uninterrupted views of the beach and seafront
- Ideal for the retired or holiday home

Harbour Road, Seaton - £115,000



- One bedroom top floor flat
- Private entrance and stairway
- Dual aspect lounge
- Modern fitted kitchen/breakfast room
- Double bedroom
- Modern shower room
- uPVC framed double glazing
- Gravelled courtyard style garden with large workshop
- Situated within a few minutes walk of the beach

Queen Street, Seaton - £116,500



- Self contained ground floor flat
- One double bedroom
- Spacious lounge/dining room
- Kitchen and shower room
- GCH, double glazing
- Level position in the heart of the town
- Will interest the first time buyer, retired person or investment purchaser

Norcombe Court, Seaton - £124,950



- Two bedroom apartment
- Hallway
- Lounge/dining room
- Kitchen
- Bathroom/wc
- Two Bedrooms
- Electric heating
- uPVC double glazing
- Views over the town to countryside beyond
- Undercover allocated car parking space
- NO CHAIN

Harbour Road, Seaton - £155,000



- Spacious two bedroom sheltered apartment
- Dual aspect lounge with french balcony
- Modern fitted kitchen
- Electric heating
- uPVC double glazing
- Various communal facilities
- Car park area and communal garden
- Close to town centre
- Exclusively for the over 55's

Tanyards Court, Seaton - £89,950



- Two bedroom sheltered apartment
- Reception hall
- Lounge with square bay window
- Kitchenette
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom/wc
- uPVC framed double glazing
- Electric heating
- Views over the town to Axe Cliff and the sea
- Viewings recommended

Harbour Road, Seaton - £82,500



- Well proportioned first floor flat
- Lounge/dining room
- Kitchen and bathroom
- One double bedroom
- Double glazing
- Hardstanding to the front providing off road parking
- Private lockable outside store
- Situated close to the beach and town centre

Harbour Road, Seaton - £79,000



- Purpose built 5th floor retirement apartment
- Good size lounge/dining room with west facing sun balcony
- Double bedroom
- Modern fitted kitchen
- Superb sea and coastal views
- Various communal facilities
- Convenient central position
- Exclusively for the over 60's

Manor Terrace, Seaton - £134,950



- Spacious 1st and 2nd floor maisonette
- Lounge with feature fireplace
- Good size kitchen/diner with vaulted ceiling and exposed stone wall
- Three bedrooms
- South facing rear courtyard
- Close to town centre and sea front
- Internal viewings recommended

Seaton Hole, Seaton - £429,000



- Impressive Modern detached house
- Four good size bedrooms
- one en-suite
- Three reception rooms
- Double glazed Victorian style conservatory
- Spacious kitchen/breakfast room
- Utility room and cloakroom
- GCH, uPVC double glazing
- Integral double garage
- Attractively landscaped rear garden
- Situated within walking distance of the beach

Churston Rise, Seaton - £299,950



- Deceptively Spacious Detached Chalet Style Bungalow
- Good size lounge/dining room
- Double glazed conservatory
- Modern kitchen
- Three bedrooms plus spacious hobbies room/study
- Large two room basement
- GCH, uPVC double glazing
- Garage and drive
- South facing rear garden
- Stunning uninterrupted views of the sea

Fremington Road, Seaton - O.I.R.O 350,000



- Deceptively spacious modern detached property
- Good size dual aspect lounge
- Separate dining room, double glazed sun room
- Modern fitted kitchen / breakfast room
- Five bedrooms
- GCH, double glazed windows
- Large garage with w.c. and utility area
- Ample additional off road parking
- Gardens to the front and rear

Lydgates Road, Seaton - £210,000



- An attractive spacious detached bungalow
- Good size dual aspect lounge
- Separate dining room
- Kitchen and sun room
- Two double bedrooms
- GCH, uPVC double glazing
- Large detached garage and drive
- South facing rear garden
- Popular residential area

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## SALES

### HONITON - £239,950



A link detached family home situated close to the town centre, with spacious and flexible accommodation and newly fitted kitchen and bathroom. On the ground floor there is a large sitting room, bathroom, kitchen/diner, utility room and a study/4th bedroom. On the first floor there are 3 double bedrooms and a shower room. The property also boasts double glazing, gas central heating, ample off street parking and a large tandem garage/workshop. Viewing is highly recommended.

### HONITON - £149,950



A very well presented 2 bedroom semi detached house situated on this popular road. The accommodation which has undergone many improvements by the current owner comprises entrance hallway, newly fitted kitchen, sitting room with access out into the landscaped garden, 1 double and 1 single bedroom and a newly fitted white bathroom suite with shower. The property also benefits from off-street parking and a garage, double glazing and is offered with no onward chain.

### HONITON - £174,950



A spacious 3 bedroom end terrace property which would make an ideal family home. The accommodation comprises entrance porch, cloakroom, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, 2 double bedrooms and a single bedroom, shower room and separate W.C. The property is situated on a corner plot with pretty gardens, garage in separate block, gas central heating and double glazing.

### HONITON - £219,950



A semi-detached Edwardian family home situated close to the town centre. The property has many period features including original hallway tiling and fireplaces. The accommodation comprises entrance hallway, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, utility room, cloakroom and a lovely conservatory overlooking the rear garden. On the first floor there are 3 double bedrooms and a family bathroom. Viewing is highly recommended.

### STOCKLAND - £275,000



### NR UPOTTERY - £399,950



Pump Cottage is a 3 bedroom cottage situated in the heart of this very popular village. The accommodation is arranged over 3 floors with a sitting room and newly fitted kitchen on the lower ground floor both with access out into the garden, 2 bedrooms on the upper ground floor and the main entrance on the first floor. The property has been well maintained and there have been many improvements by the current owners and is beautifully presented as are the gardens. Outside there is off-street parking for 2 cars and a paved area over a building block leading to the main garden which is well stocked with mature plants and shrubs. There are wonderful views of farmland and Stockland Church from the garden.

### STOCKLAND - £274,950



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## LETTINGS

### Honiton - £525 pcm



A two bedroom terraced property situated close to the town centre. Accommodation comprises entrance hall, sitting room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms and bathroom with shower. The property also boasts off street parking, double glazing and gas central heating. Available Immediately. No Smokers, DSS or Pets.

### Honiton - £465 pcm



Well proportioned first floor town centre apartment, tucked back off the high street. The property offers one double bedroom, bathroom with power shower over bath, a good sized lounge and open plan kitchenette. It would ideally suit a professional couple or individual looking for low maintenance accommodation. Conditions: No DSS, No Smokers, No Pets.

### Nr Stockland - £1250 pcm



A very special 4 bedroom period property situated just outside Stockland with panoramic 360° views. The property boasts ample accommodation with 4 bedrooms, 2 of which are ensuite, large country kitchen/breakfast room, sitting room, dining room, study, play room, utility room and cloakroom. The property sits on a wonderful plot with mature well tended gardens to the front and rear, the property also benefits from a c. ½ acre pony paddock, parking and a large timber garage/workshop. Conditions: No DSS, No Smokers

### Yarcombe - £1150 pcm



A beautiful rural 4 bedroom farmhouse situated on the outskirts of Yarcombe with stunning countryside views. This property boasts a large country kitchen/breakfast room with range, walk in larder, utility room, large lounge/dining room with inglenook fireplace, study/playroom, ground floor shower room/w.c., 4 double bedrooms upstairs with lovely countryside views and family bathroom. No DSS, No Pets, No Smokers

### Farway - £470 pcm



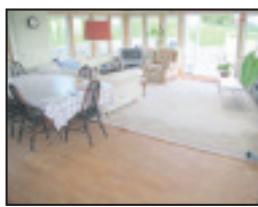
A one bedroom ground floor annexe, situated on the edge of this popular Devon village with fantastic views over countryside and farmland. Rental price includes some utilities and broadband. Available End Aug 09

### Honiton - £550 pcm



End of terrace 2 bedroom house enjoying a central location and within walking distance to both the train station and local amenities. This property comprises: kitchen, downstairs cloakroom, bathroom, lounge, dining / diner and 2 Bedrooms. Conditions: No DSS, No Smokers

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**Sidbury**

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A substantial detached farmhouse (5 beds) now requiring refurbishment, occupying a delightful rural position. Farmyard style traditional farm buildings with potential for alternative uses, subject to planning. Further modern buildings, pasture & woodland. In all about 53 acres.

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**Guide Price £279,950**

A 1930's four bedroom (one ensuite) family house with a substantial garden to the rear, convenient for facilities in Honiton. The property has well proportioned accommodation and the rear garden is a particular feature of the property enjoying sunshine and privacy.

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**Yarcombe**

A double front house offering charm & character with 3/4 bedrooms/self contained annexe. Parking for several vehicles. There may also be the ability to gain an income from the property if someone preferred to let the self contained annexe.

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**Guide Price £250,000**

**Honiton**
**Guide Price £189,950**

A detached two double bedroomed bungalow (link by garage). The property is presented to a particularly high standard and should be viewed inside to fully appreciate. Accessible to town centre amenities.

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**NOTICE OF OFFER**
**Guide Price £74,950**

We are now in receipt of an offer for the sum of £68,000 for Flat 2, Dorset Place, New Street, Honiton, Devon EX14 1LS. Anyone wishing to place an offer on this property should contact Greenslade Taylor Hunt, 111 High Street, Honiton, Devon EX14 1LS.

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A well presented three bedroom semi-detached house in lovely cul-de-sac and enjoying views across the Axe Estuary. No onward chain.

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A bright and attractive one bedroom apartment on the northern outskirts of the town.

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A well presented three bedroom semi-detached bungalow in popular village only 2 miles from Axminster. Stands in beautifully kept level garden.

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## Axminster

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A detached three bedroom bungalow situated in a favoured district less than half a mile from the town centre. Stands in a delightful landscaped garden.

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A detached three bedroom house standing in grounds of 3 acres including garden, paddock and outhouses. Convenient position between Axminster and Chard.

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**Property of the Week - Seaton, Attractive Three Bedroom Bungalow - £339,950**

NEW

An attractive detached bungalow ideally located in a quiet cul-de-sac and benefiting from views towards Axmouth. Presented in excellent order the accommodation includes Lounge, kitchen/dining room, conservatory, utility, three bedrooms with master en suite, family bathroom. Double garage. Enclosed gardens. Gas CH. uPVC DG.



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**Seaton, Attractive Detached House - £295,000**

A detached refurbished three bedroom bungalow located in a quiet cul-de-sac and benefiting from sea and countryside views. Accommodation includes master en suite, family bathroom, lounge, kitchen/diner. Garage, parking and landscaped gardens.

**Seaton, Refurbished Bungalow with Views - £337,500**

A stylish four bedroom family home extended and renovated to provide spacious accommodation, which includes two double bedrooms and family bathroom on the first floor and lounge, dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, utility, cloakroom, two bedrooms with master en suite on the ground floor. Double garage. Enclosed gardens.

**Seaton, Flexible Family Accommodation - £385,000**

A spacious two bedroom second floor apartment located in a level position and conveniently situated for Seaton town centre and beach. Master en suite, kitchen/breakfast room, lounge/diner, family bathroom. Allocated parking and communal gardens.

**Seaton, Two Bedroom Apartment - £195,000**

An attractive detached three bedroomed chalet bungalow located in a quiet cul-de-sac yet convenient for the town centre and beach. Accommodation includes master en suite shower, lounge/dining room and kitchen on the ground floor with 2 further bedrooms and bathroom on the first floor. Garage. Garden.

**Seaton, Chalet Bungalow in Quiet Location - £239,950**

**NEW PRICE**  
A second floor one bedroom recently redecorated retirement apartment offering sheltered accommodation for the over 60's. Ideally situated in a level position close to all amenities and seafront the property also benefits from attractive sea views. The accommodation comprises one bedroom, lounge, kitchen and shower room. Communal Parking. NO ONWARD CHAIN.

**Seaton, Retirement Apartment with Sea Views - £60,000**

A most attractive and deceptively spacious four bedroomead period cottage in a superb position opposite the parish church. Lounge, dining room, fitted kitchen. Three bedrooms and bathroom. Studio with living room/kitchenette, bathroom and bedroom. Courtyard garden with utility area, wc and garage.

**Colyton, Spacious Cottage - £250,000**

A delightful town house in a central location to Seaton town centre and the seafront. The spacious accommodation comprises a well fitted kitchen/breakfast room with lovely views towards Haven Cliff. Good sized lounge, three bedrooms, master en suite shower room, modern family bathroom. Rear patio. Allocated parking. uPVC DG & GCH.

**Seaton, Three Storey Town House - £239,950**

A delightful mid terraced cottage tucked away yet in a convenient position for the town centre and beach. The accommodation includes lounge with open fireplace, study, kitchen/dining room, utility conservatory, 2/3 bedrooms, shower room, separate wc and patio garden.

**Seaton, Cottage at the Heart of Town - £185,000**

A superb and substantial detached three bedroom bungalow occupying an excellent plot amounting to one fifth of an acre on the western outskirts of Seaton only a short distance from the town centre and beach. Three double bedrooms and family bathroom, lounge, dining area, kitchen, workshop, garage and parking. Gas CH. Double and secondary glazing.

**Seaton, Detached Bungalow - £319,950**

An attractive bungalow situated in an elevated position only a short distance from the heart of the village with delightful countryside and village views. The property offers spacious lounge, kitchen/dining room, utility, family bathroom, separate wc, conservatory and double garage.

**Beer, 3 Bedroom Detached Bungalow - £319,950**

Located on The Esplanade with outstanding sea views over Lyme Bay, this three bedroom, second floor apartment is presented in outstanding condition. The accommodation includes three bedrooms, refitted kitchen and bathroom, living room, gas fired central heating and uPVC double glazing. Parking space. The apartment benefits from a share of the freehold.

**Seaton, Second Floor Apartment with Sea Views - £189,950**

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An attractive stone fronted end of terrace cottage ideally located close to the centre of Beer. The accommodation includes lounge / dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, two bedrooms and shower room. Small outside area. Two designated parking spaces.

**Beer, Two Bedroom Cottage - £239,950**

A detached bungalow situated in an elevated position in a quiet cul-de-sac and benefiting from lovely views towards Haven Cliff and over Lyme Bay. Living room, dining room/bedroom 3, kitchen, 2 double bedrooms, bathroom, cloakroom. Attached garage. Gas CH. DG.

**Seaton, Detached Bungalow with Sea Views - £224,950**

Facing almost due south with superb uninterrupted views across Lyme Bay and occupying a prime position in part of the ground floor of this period and imposing detached house. Communal entrance hall, lounge, kitchen, two bedrooms. uPVC DG. Gas CH. Off road parking.

**Seaton, Ground Floor Apartment - £189,950**

A spacious detached bungalow in a quiet cul-de-sac, with far reaching views. Lounge, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms with master en-suite and family bathroom. Outside attractive landscaped gardens, double garage and workshop. uPVC DG. Gas CH.

**Colyton, Detached Bungalow - £247,500**

A most attractive two bedroomead mid-terrace character property located on the outskirts of Beer. The well presented accommodation includes living room with open fire, fitted kitchen with appliances, two bedrooms and bathroom. Attractive courtyard garden to the rear. Allocated parking space

**Beer, Character Property - £230,000**

A rare opportunity to purchase a substantial portion of a Grade II listed country house standing in gardens and grounds of over half an acre with outstanding views. The property has a number of period features and the spacious accommodation includes hall with exposed ceiling timbers, drawing room, dining room, kitchen, utility, cloakroom, 4 bedrooms with 2 en suite, family bathroom, garage.

**Seaton, Country House - £475,000**

A delightful 2 bedroom holiday chalet in an elevated position on the outskirts of Seaton. The accommodation includes living room with kitchen area, two bedrooms and bathroom. Allocated parking. uPVC double glazed windows and electric heating. Price includes fixtures and fittings and decking soon to be completed.

**Seaton, Detached Holiday Chalet - £49,995****ESTATE AGENTS AND VALUERS**

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## Something for everyone at Axminster Arts Café

**Axminster Arts Café** is a delightful café situated in the historic Old Courthouse building in Church Street, complete with original police cells. Customers are encouraged to take a look in these (or dine in them if they wish!) as well as browse the arts and crafts; all of which are supplied by local artisans.

The public courtyard garden, with its magnificent octagonal cast iron gazebo, is a real sun trap and offers a tranquil safe haven right in the heart of Axminster. There are two remaining events of this year's Arts in the Garden programme, namely 'Vocals with Guitar' by Jonny Curran at 12.00 noon on Wednesday, August 19th and an Art and

Craft Fayre from 10.00 – 2.00 on Saturday 22nd August.

The Arts café is run by Axminster Arts, a non-profit making organisation, which uses the profits made in the café to support the Arts in Axminster and the surrounding area, through sponsorship.

There are eat-in and take-away menus, from which tasty meals and snacks are obtainable, whilst the 'specials menu' offers some additional variety. A selection of coffee from their Italian coffee machine as well as cold drinks and delicious home-made cakes are always available too.

Opening hours at the Arts Café are Mon – Fri 9.30 – 4.00. Sat 9.30 – 2.00

## Seaton Carnival 2009

SEATON'S Carnival week runs from Friday, August 28th until Saturday, September 5th and offers a range of activities and things to do.

Saturday 29th sees Phil Armor's "Summer Sounds" road show in the Esplanade from 10am.

Tuesday September 1st is Arts and Craft fun day at the Town Hall and Windsor Gardens from 10am - 3pm, with activities for the whole family. There will also be a car treasure hunt from 6.30pm, and all clues can be seen from the car.

The main Carnival procession takes place on Saturday 5th, and starts at 8pm on the Esplanade.

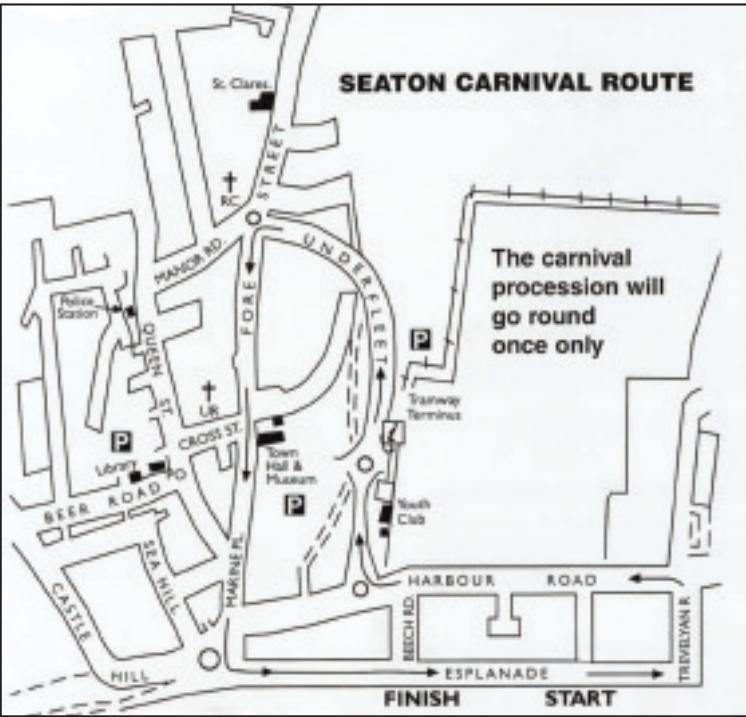
The Carnival organisers would like to thank Sophie's Trinket Box for the donation of material for the Carnival Queen's float.

See the map (right) for details of the procession route. For more a full list and more details of activities during the week, see the advert below.

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Streets to be closed for Procession night are: Fishermans Gap to Beach Road 8am - 10pm, The Esplanade, Beach Road, Trevelyan Road, Riverside Way, 12noon - 10pm. Harbour Road, The Underfleet, Fore Street, Marine Place 7.30 - 10pm.

Carnival classes are: A) Walking Fancy Dress (Individual), B) Walking Group (Pairs), C) Walking Group (3 or more), D) Mini Floats (non-motorised), E) Local organisations (Axmouth, Seaton, Beer only), F) Youth organisations (manned by people 18 years and under), G) Open over 30ft, H) Royalty, J) Comical, K) Open under 30ft. Entry forms can be obtained from June Millman on 01297 23491.



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certs in the local area over the last 6 years and their musical programme is becoming increasingly popular.

The band has members from Somerset, Dorset and Devon, covering all ages, ranges and abilities. The event is again being organised by Seaton & District Lions Club. The event starts at 7.30pm and doors will be open at 6.30pm. Seating will be Cabaret style, and there will be a full licensed bar.

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## Fun Dog Show in Musbury

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There are plenty of classes to enter from pedigree to fun classes, so everyone is welcome, all breeds and crossbreeds. There will also be a bouncy castle, BBQ and raffle so plenty of fun for all the family.

If you want to take your four legged friend along to join in the fun, or simply want to go and watch the show will be in the grounds of Musbury House, Axmouth, Nr Seaton, EX12 4BP at 1.30pm (entries from 12.30pm) to be followed by fun classes. For more information call Michelle Craker on 01297 551545



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## Diary Dates

**THURSDAY AUGUST 20TH**

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**FRIDAY AUGUST 21ST - SATURDAY AUGUST 22ND**

**DUNKESWELL:** 'Say it with flowers' festival at Throgmorton Community Hall 11am - 7pm. Telephone 01404 891766 for more details.

**SATURDAY AUGUST 22ND**

**UPOTTERY:** Upottery Flower Show at Manor Rooms, Upottery. From 2pm. Teas, raffle etc.

**SEATON:** Cash Bingo at St Gregory's Church Hall, Colyford Road. Doors open 7.30pm, eyes down 8pm. Telephone 01297 24728 for more details.

**SUNDAY AUGUST 23RD**

**HAWKCHURCH:** Car Treasure Hunt from 4pm at Hawkchurch Village Hall. Telephone 01297 678498 for more details.

**TUESDAY AUGUST 25TH**

**CHARDSTOCK/AXMINSTER:** Book launch for 'A history of Chardstock and All Saints' by Peter Wood and Chardstock historical records group. 6pm - 8pm at Archway Books, Church Street. Telephone 01460 220350 for more details.

**WEDNESDAY AUGUST 26TH - SATURDAY AUGUST 29TH**

**HAWKCHURCH:** Skittle Competition (Individuals) at The Old Inn, from 7pm each evening. Telephone 01297 578498 for more details.

**THURSDAY AUGUST 27TH**

**BRANSCOMBE:** Branscombe Variety Night at the Village Hall, 7 for 7.30. Supper and bar available.

**FRIDAY AUGUST 28TH**

**HAWKCHURCH:** Fun family rounders evening at the Playing Field, with bbq and live music at the Old Inn. From 6pm. Telephone 01297 678498 for more details.

**FRIDAY AUGUST 28TH - SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 5TH**

**SEATON:** Seaton Carnival Week. Carnival procession at 8pm on Saturday, September 5th.

**SATURDAY AUGUST 29TH**

**TATWORTH:** Flower Show at the Memorial hall from 2.30pm. Telephone 01460 220658 for more details.

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**SUNDAY AUGUST 30TH**

**HAWKCHURCH:** Family quiz night at The Old Inn from 8pm. Telephone 01297 678498 for more details.

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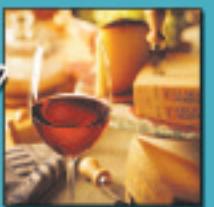
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# View From the Restaurant



## Local pub reaches finals of industry 'Oscars'

THE Wheelwright Inn, Colyford, has cause for celebration after reaching the finals of the industry's 'Oscars', the Great British Pub Awards, and a chance to win the national title of Best Food Pub, announced next month.

Licensees Gary and Toni Valentine have much to be proud of already. The Great British Pub Awards, run by drinks industry 'bible' the Morning Advertiser, are the ultimate accolade in pub retailing and competition for a final placing is intense. Following a 'paper' judging and a visit from an industry expert, The Wheelwright Inn has been named as the Best Food Pub in the West Country. Along with the seven other regional finalists, Gary and Toni will be waiting with bated breath for the national winner to be revealed at a glittering Awards ceremony in London on

September 9th.

Paul Charity, editor of the Morning Advertiser, said, "It is heartening to find such a wonderful success story when there has been little good news about pubs recently. This is proof that talented, hard-working landlords and landladies can still attract customers wanting to experience the unique atmosphere of the Great British Pub. They thoroughly deserve this public recognition of their achievement."

The judges were impressed with The Wheelwright Inn's outstanding food, commenting, "A great food pub should offer customers high quality food at affordable prices, in a traditional pub environment. It is to the pub's credit that they have achieved this, and created an excellent reputation for their food."



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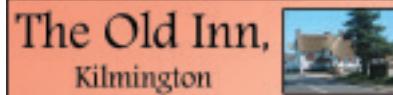
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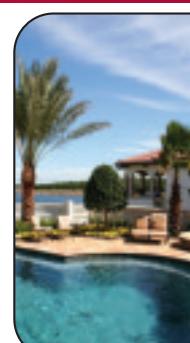
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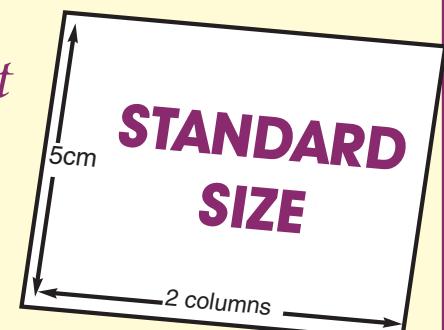
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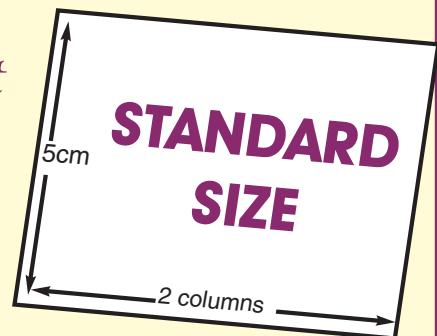
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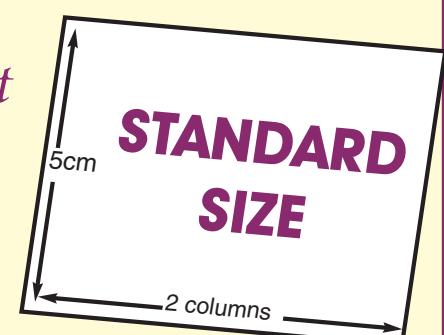
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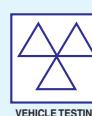
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## More economical, more practical: the new Golf Plus BlueMotion

- ▼ New 1.6-litre engine returns 65.7 mpg; CO2 emissions down to 114 g/km
- ▼ Typical customer will only need to refuel every five weeks
- ▼ Start/Stop and regenerative braking systems boost economy package
- ▼ BlueMotion premium of just £325 over equivalent standard Golf Plus
- ▼ Volkswagen has revealed pricing and details of its latest BlueMotion model, the Golf Plus. The new model offers all the practicality and comfort of the new standard Golf
- ▼ Plus which went on sale in May, but with even greater economy and lower carbon dioxide emissions. Prices start at £17,570 RRP 'on the road' for the Golf Plus BlueMotion S, rising to £18,920 for the SE; that's just £325 more than the equivalent standard Golf Plus S and SE models.

USING the latest 1.6-litre common rail TDI 105 PS engine combined with a number of BlueMotion modifications, the Golf Plus BlueMotion is capable of returning 65.7 mpg on the combined cycle while emitting just 114 g/km of CO2. By comparison, the previous generation Golf Plus BlueMotion with a 1.9-litre TDI engine and 105 PS returned 58.9 mpg while producing 127 g/km; that's an 11 per cent

improvement in economy and a ten per cent reduction in carbon dioxide emissions.

The new Golf Plus BlueMotion's CO2 emissions figure of 114 g/km allows it to break the 121 g/km threshold, saving fleet drivers up to £1,000 in Benefit in Kind tax over a three year period. The car's economy statistics mean, in real terms, that a Golf Plus BlueMotion owner could take a trip from London to the Lake District, enjoy 200

miles-worth of day trips while there, and return to London before having to refuel. Put another way, a buyer covering under 8,000 miles a year – which is typical of more than a half of Golf Plus customers – need only fill up with fuel once every five weeks.

This frugality is thanks to a number of BlueMotion modifications including revised gear ratios in third, fourth and fifth, the addition of low rolling resistance tyres, a Start/Stop function and re-



generative braking. The Start/Stop system allows the engine to shut down completely when the car is at a standstill before automatically restarting as soon as the clutch is depressed, ready to engage first gear

and move off. Regenerative braking helps to utilise energy that would otherwise be lost during braking, so that in deceleration and braking phases the alternator's voltage is boosted and used for bulk recharging of the car's

battery.

The Golf Plus BlueMotion is available in two trim levels, S and SE, and its standard features are the same as on these standard models. Owners therefore benefit from ABS with ESP, six

airbags, air conditioning, a CD player and multi-function computer – with the addition of gearchange recommendation on BlueMotion for maximum economy. SE adds Park Assist to ease parallel parking

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tries covering more than fifty years of motoring. Last year saw displays from a number of local car clubs, including the Axe Valley Mini Club, Crash Box & Classic Car Club and the MG 'M' Group South West.

Unlike other organised rallies, this one-day gathering does not require entrants to book in beforehand or pay an entry fee, just turn up on the day. There is also no age-related cut-off date, which means owners of more recent standard and modified cars and motorcycles are also able to come along and display their pride and joy.

Spokesman Lorna Moggridge from the Devon Branch of the

Morris Minor Owners Club said: "Previous visitors have commented on how much they like the informal atmosphere of this vehicle gathering where you can turn up when you want and also take in the additional sights of Exmouth."

The annual Park Up 'n' Picnic runs from 10am until 4pm and is open to all classic and modern cars and motorcycles of interest. Car clubs are also welcome to come along and put on a display.

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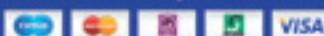
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## BOWLS ROUND-UP

### HONITON PAIR IN COUNTY OVER 70S QUARTER-FINAL

#### SEATON with *Dave Ford*

SINCE August 1st seven fixtures have been cancelled, six of them at home, either by bad weather, or opponents not being able to raise a team for various reasons.

Nobody can change the weather, but this second problem seems to be happening more frequently in recent years, which is worrying, as it is the home games that clubs rely on to bring in the necessary income needed to pay the many expenses incurred by all clubs.

On a happier note, there have been some excellent days bowling during the last fortnight, some of them in brilliant sunshine.

On Friday, August 7th Seaton hosted the Perham Cup, with six local bowls clubs each sending one rink of men to compete against six from Seaton.

On the green it was the Lyme Regis rink that shone the brightest, with Bob Turpin, Brian Downes, Philip Stevens and Alan Preece winning the event with a +22 scoreline.

The Budleigh rink was second with a +15 score. After being presented with the Cup and individual trophies, the winners and runners-up were photographed on the green, so that pictures could be sent to the sons' of Alfred Perham, in whose memory the Cup was presented to Seaton Bowling Club.

They have continued to sponsor this event since the death of their mother, for which the club officers and members sincerely thank them.

Tourists from Dunstable visited Seaton on August 11th, another glorious day, and proved to be too strong for the Seaton players on four of the six rinks winning overall by 143-91. Our captain said it was a friendly afternoon's bowling, although the score (no I won't print it) on his rink, was shall we say was a little one-sided.

Two rinks of Seaton players flew the flag for the club, each winning by one shot. They were; Audrey White, Nancy Collins, Mike Follenfant and Keith Miles 24-23, and Keith Harris, Alice Carter, Gerald Knott and Rhonda Follenfant 19-18.

The over 60s continue to prosper, winning on both rinks at home to Pinces Gardens 35-

20, and overall against Belmont 43-32.

The two top rinks were K. Richards, G. Knott and Ivor Steer 19-10, and M. Follenfant, P. Greenwood and R. Woolland 29-11. This pushes Seaton up to second place in the table, with three games to play, one away against the runaway leaders Topsham. With 24 points still at stake, second place is still in the melting pot.

Three ladies rinks played a friendly against an Oxford Masonic B.A. Touring side winning 76-34. Top rink, - A. Wright, A. Carter, O. Real and Joan Miles showed no mercy to their opponents 26-10 the score.

Captain Angie reported that another evening

match against Feniton Ladies away, was as equally successful as the home game played recently, and enjoyed by every one taking part. Unimportantly the result went Seaton's way 66-52 with top rink B. Powell, R. Gregory, J. Russell and R. Follenfant winning 29-13.

Four rinks of men playing away at Sidmouth, lost by one shot 71-72, a huge improvement on their last encounter with our friendly rivals. Top rink A. Green, J. Packham, T. Harden and R. Thompson 19-15.

#### FENITON with *Roger Smith*

PLAYING at home against four rinks from Feniton, the Seaton men won 85-64, with M. Carvell, P. Mattocks, G. Knott and R. Thompson the top rink 28-12.

THE Feniton Men's over 60s B team lost a rearranged fixture to Tiverton by 35-42. The winning rink was E. Goodenough, T. Young and L. Ley, who came back from being 12-20 with three ends to play to win by 25-20.

On Tuesday the Feniton Mixed team lost a most enjoyable match against Budleigh Salterton by 97-129. The winning rinks were E. Goodenough, J. Skinner, F. Imms and A. Evans 23-16 and C. Cheesely, S. Nevill, E. Tuck and R. Smith 19-17.

On Wednesday both the A and B teams were in action in the over 60s triples competition. Both teams returned to form with the A team beating Okehampton by 46-27. The winning rinks were E. Cox, M. Chipperfield and A. Williams 26-15 and A. Smith, R. Smith and R.

Arundell 20-12. The B team won a close encounter with Tiverton West End A by 29-28.

The winning rink was F. Jones, A. Godfrey and D. Conbeer 16-15, the other rink being tied.

On Wednesday evening the Ladies team entertained Seaton and lost by 52-66. The winning rink was P. Usher, J. Lovell, J. Rowles and L. Eveleigh 21-19 with one of the other two rinks being tied.

Thursday saw the Mixed team visit Tiverton Borough and lose by 91-105. The winning rinks were A. Edwards, G. Skinner and R. Smith 24-16, M. Eveleigh, J. Skinner and R. Arundell 17-13 and S. Nevill, J. Rowles and L. Ley 13-12.

The Ladies triples team of L. Eveleigh, J. Edwards and C. Granger reached the last sixteen of the Benevolent Triples Competition.

The winners of the Club three wood mixed pairs were S. Kury and M. Eveleigh. The runners-up were L. Eveleigh and A. Kury.

#### CHARDSTOCK

ON Thursday 13th August, the visitors were Queen Camel for a four rink mixed match.

A fine victory for Chardstock by three rinks to one, and overall 80 shots to 59, continued a good run of recent results.

Chardstock (Skips only); M. Sturley won 23-8, P. Compton won 20-13, J. Tucker lost 17-23 and M. Toms won 20-15.

#### HONITON with *Tony Broughton*

THE County President visited Honiton on Tuesday this week, bringing six rinks to play against a side made up from Clubs playing in the Exeter & District Over 60s League.

This time his side were the underdogs with the over 60s side winning by 123 shots to 94

The top rink for the over 60s comprised John Ritchie, Ken Clarke, Ken Large and George Selvey from the Honiton Club with a score of 8-29.

On Wednesday Jean Mitchell and Rita Barwick won the Section Final of the County Ladies over 70s pairs competition to take them to the Quarter/Semi Finals to be held at Bovey Tracy tomorrow, August 19th.

They have already beaten Jean Brimson and Christa Turner from Sidmouth whom were

last year's winners of this competition, so hopes now go on for them to bring the trophy back to Honiton.

Thursday saw a Touring Side from Dunstable, Bedfordshire visit Honiton with six very strong rinks. This side had beaten the three other Devon Clubs they had played, but their winning spree came to an end at Streamers Meadow when Honiton won 122-110. Top rink was Jean Mitchell, Ted Cox, Sid Hattam and Dennis Hillyar at 27-14.

Friday four mixed rinks came from Axminster and unfortunately all four were beaten.

Our one game wonder came out of the closest and won top rink. Joao Heard, who was playing in her first friendly match of the season steered her rink of Ken Underdown, Lindsay Crosthwaite and Ted Cox to a large 36-11 win.

On Saturday 16 ladies arrived to play in a Competition for the Betty Dibble Plate.

In this game drawn pairs play four ends on one rink, the winners move up one rink and all play another four ends and so on. The runners-up with plus nine shots were Berry Maynard and Maureen Parsons the winners with plus 18

shots were Jenny Wilde and Chris Nex (see picture below).

The hopes of improvement for the over 60s League B team were dashed this Wednesday when they went away to Madeira, the top team in Division Three.

Ken Clarke, Bill Sheerman and Mike Critchley managed to draw on their rink but the other rink went down by nine shots. So, only one point from the eight available, this is not going to help there relegation prospects.

The A team did well at home to Dunkeswell taking six of the eight points

Top rink was Fred Dart, Doug Hirons and John Lyon with 25-5. The C team forced a draw and took four points home to Exonia winning one rink by six and losing the other by six, the winning rink was Tony Tooley, Wally Heard and George Selvey.

The week finished well with a trip for six triples to Tiverton Borough. It was a super afternoon out, the green played well and the company was excellent.

Honiton finished winners at 109-88 our top rink was Roger Wilcocks, Maureen Parsons and Mike Critchley with 18-7.

#### PAIRS WINNERS:

CHRIS Nex (left) and Jenny Wilde (right) pictured with Betty Dibble.



## CAPTAIN'S DAY PLAYED IN PERFECT CONDITIONS

#### AXE CLIFF GOLF with *Ann Gaudie*

IN perfect conditions the main club played their Centenary Cup. In first place with a nett 67 was Luke Snell (13) second went to David Wills (6) with a nett 68 and third place went to Peter Petherbridge (12) with a nett 69.

The ladies held their invitation day Greensome competition in lovely summer weather. The winners were June Kendall (24) and Janet Dack (26) with 40 points, in second place was Ricky Powsey (29) and Alison Cook (27) with 39 points winning on the back nine ruling from, third placed Jane Remond (36) Wheeldon (25) also with 39 points, Norma Thewliss (29) and Hazel Williamson (24) were fourth on the back six count back ruling from Jeanette Jones (21) and Pat Aysford (20) both pairs scored 36 points.

The longest drive was won by Rion Culpan (15), nearest the pin on the first in two were Ricky and Alison, nearest the pin on the 11th was Jeanette Jones and nearest the on the 14th went Kate Colwill (29), the Captain Chris Drew presented the prizes and thanked all her helpers and the staff.

In the Seniors Section the weather once again interfered with inter-club arrangements causing the intended match at Newton Abbot to be postponed to a date yet to be agreed.

There were fears that the Seniors Captain's Day last Friday might suffer the same fate but the weather relented and conditions were perfect. The 35 competitors were divided into two sections, those of handicaps 20 and

below in the top section and those from 21 to 28 in the lower section.

There were two prizes in each section and in the end the winning scores turned out to be the same in each section. The Captain's Shield for the top section was won by Ian Bain (13) with 38 points with Terry Jessup (18) second with 36 points.

The Cooper Shield for the lower section was won by Derek Williamson (26) with 38 points with Hugh Willis (21) second with 36 points.

Excluding the above four, the best outward half was won by Mike Jamieson while two players tied for the best inward half which on countback went to Keith Wilson with John Mant the player to miss out.

The prize for the longest drive at the 15th went to David Bruce, while the nearest the pin prizes at the par 3s were as follows: - 7th hole - Keith Wilson; 11th - Tony Strong; 14th - Terry Jessup and 18th - Roger Wright.

Nearest the pin in two shots at the 13th was won by Cyril Hellier.

In the evening the above prizes together with those for Medals and Stablefords over the past six months were presented by the captain Chris Walker assisted by secretary Mike Tomes.

The captain laid on a fine cold buffet for all who attended and he thanked David Quinn and his staff plus the green keepers for their help in the smooth and successful running of the day.

Chris in turn was thanked by the winner of the Captain's Shield for the wonderful day everyone had enjoyed and

for all the hard work he had put in throughout the day to make it a memorable occasion.

#### HONITON GOLF with *Paul Dimond*

WHAT a difference a week makes in golf. Gone were the waterproofs and out came the sunscreen for the Annual Professionals Open day at Honiton Golf Club.

A range of top quality prize's from the pro shop were on offer, in what was a keenly contested better ball Stableford. In fourth place, winning a new putter were Fred and Darren McCabe on 42 points, just losing out to Steve Branch and Paul Blackmore on countback, who win a new Titleist Bag.

Second place, winning a Vokey Wedge, went to Roy Bumpstead and Alex Cave with 43 points, just losing out on countback to the competition winners, Tony Wood and Ben Barton, who walk away with new pairs of DryJoy Golf Shoes.

Nearest the pin on the second hole was Sue Long and nearest the pin on the twelfth hole was Steve Heath, each winning a dozen quality golf balls.

Thanks go to Professional Adrian Cave for an excellent day, superb prizes and for a job well done, invaluable help and advice year round.

#### Ladies Golf

THE Ladies Secretary Barbara Mullett has been extremely busy the past few weeks re-arranging the Ladies Open for Wednesday and must have been relieved when the weather 'behaved'.

Also most of the original teams were able to play. The

format was teams of three, two scores to count, Medal play.

Winners, with a score of 137, were a team from Okehampton, Kay King and Kath Mansell both off 19 with Amanda Winsor 24.

Second with 139 were Sue Glanville 22, Sally Griffin 26 both from Okehampton with Gill Davies 23 from Exminster.

There were three teams with 142. 3rd on c/b last 6 holes were Home team of June Hodge 18, Chris Lutman 24 and Jan Portlock 29.

Fourth, also a home team, were Mabs Baker 25, Avril Shepherd 30 and Joann Smith 23.

Fifth were Sue Gannon 21 from Exeter, Linda Holdway 28 and Jan Hill 18 both from East Devon.

Sixth with 145 on c/b were Jenny Seabourne 22, Irene Butler 14 both from Launceston with Linda Tabb 19 from Sherborne.

Nearest the pin Bbronze player was Julia Gill from Saunton, with Wendy Homer from Weston-super-Mare the closest silver player.

Only one lady managed a two so Kath McBain from Exeter went home with a heavy bag containing 45 balls.

#### Mixed Golf

THIS week's Mixed Competition was a Texas Scramble with members welcoming back some friends who are Country members.

The winners with a net 64 were Penny Blackburn, Terry Dimond with Mike and Moira Cooper. Second with net 64.6 were Bill and Olwen Eaton with Ben and Veronica Parkinson.

# LUKE TAKES FIVE AT TIVVY OPEN

SEVERAL Chard and District swimmers participated in an Open Sprint meet held at Tiverton writes *Step Hallam*.

Throughout the day swimmers collected many top three positions also obtaining numerous personal best times.

Luke van den Barselaar; aged 13, and Beckie Rutherford; aged 14 were top performers from the club with Luke achieving five first positions in the 50m Fly, Freestyle, Backstroke, Breaststroke and 100m Individual Medley.

Whilst Beckie won the 50m Freestyle, Butterfly, Backstroke and 100m Individual Medley.

Closely followed by Abigail Dare; aged 12, with three firsts in the 50m Freestyle, Backstroke and 100m Individual Medley.

Their efforts were superb and their performances were noticeable. Top Three Positions were as follows:

50m Freestyle: (1st) Abigail Dare, Luke van den Barselaar, Beckie Rutherford (2nd) Elsie Emery 11 and Hannah Pullinger 13, (3rd)

Charlie Kendall 9, Marsha Emery 10 and Jamie Pullinger 10.

50m Backstroke: (1st) Oliver Bilbie 11, Abigail Dare, Luke van den Barselaar (2nd) Adam Reid 9, Elisha Hawkins 9, Jamie Pullinger and Hannah Pullinger, (3rd) Charlie Kendall and Laura Coombs 14.

50m Breaststroke: (1st) Jamie Pullinger, Elsie Emery, Luke van den Barselaar and Hannah Pullinger, (3rd) Beckie Rutherford and James Rutherford 14.

50m Butterfly: (1st) Elsie Emery, Luke van den Barselaar, and Beckie Rutherford (2nd) Lewis Pearson 9, Jamie Pullinger and Marsha Emery (3rd) Abigail Dare, Hannah Pullinger and Laura Coombs.

100m Individual Medley: (1st) Abigail Dare, Luke van den Barselaar and Beckie Rutherford (2nd) Lewis Pearson, Jamie Pullinger and Hannah Pullinger, (3rd) Elsie Emery and James Rutherford 14.

Other Competitors included Jade Hawkins (time trial), Sarah Underwood, Mollie Simpson and Jenna Emery.

## COLYTON SKITTLES

THE Colyton Skittles League Captains meeting will take place at the Kingfisher on Friday, August 21st at 8pm - fixture lists will be available.

Knock-out Cup, first round draw, matches to be played on Friday, September 4th.

Lamb B v Axminster Inn B, Tuckers Arms A v Honiton RBL C, Three Tuns A v Red Lion A, Gerrard B v Honiton RBL A, Honiton WMC A v Vine B, Old Inn B v Mountbatten Whites, Stockland B v Gerrard A, Eagle Tavern v Volunteer A, Harbour A v New Inn A, Harbour Beerboys v Seaton Bowling Club, Harbour B v Seaton Social Club A, Honiton Conservative Club B v Tuckers Arms B, Harbour C v Old Inn A, Seaton Football Club B v Red Lion Cavaliers, Vine A v Colcombe A, Beer B v Kingfisher B, Star A v Axe Vale Social Club B, Star B v Axminster Inn A, Kingfisher A v Volunteer B, Honiton Con Club A v Axe Carpets A, Honiton RBL B v Three Tuns Harts, Offwell v Red Lion, Sidbury, Seaton Social Club B v Axe Vale Social Club C, Colcombe B v Rising Sun A, Axminster Con Club A v Axe Vale Social Club A, Sidbury Stones v New Inn B, Star C v Axminster Carpets B, Ship Inn v Honiton RBL D, Tuckers Arms C v White Hart A, Honiton WMC B v White Hart B, Kings Arms B v Rising Sun B.

## TWO TEAMS DROP OUT

### PRE-SEASON FOOTBALL NEWS with Colin Goodwin.

THE Exmouth Arms have withdrawn from the Devon & Exeter Football League after just one season.

The Division Nine side who played their matches at the Royal Marine base at nearby Lympstone were relegated in their first season, and have advised the League they are unable to continue.

The 'Arms' are the second Devon & Exeter League side to call it a day following Oakwood's decision last week to withdraw from Division Four.

A third Intermediate team in East Devon is also on the brink of folding, but are currently doing their best to stay above water.

Premier clubs in the Devon & Exeter League had until last Saturday to register 11 players in time for next weekend's big kick-off.

League rules insist that club's must register a minimum of eleven players a week before their first league match, and several Premier clubs were leaving it very later according to Registration secretary Mrs Jean Barding.

Senior and Intermediate clubs do not get under way until September 5th, so they have a much longer time to get the job done.

However Mrs Barding has advised club secretaries that many are not putting enough postage on their registration packages. As a result the Post Office are retaining the envelopes until Jean can collect them.

As she doesn't drive, Jean has to catch the bus into the main delivery Post Office in Exeter, then pay for the relevant packages and then rebill the clubs for the cost.

The other danger is that the delay means players may not be registered in time, and as the League's Insurance covers friendly games as well, this could be crucial. The good news is that as Jean is a Senior citizen she can use her bus pass, but she would prefer not to have to make the journey.

Two clubs have changed their names this season and are hoping it will change their fortunes. Five Star security from Exeter have until now been operating as Oak FC, but by changing their name to that of their sponsors new secretary Dean Wills and former manager Ian Moore are hoping it will inspire the club in Division eight to gain promotion for the first time.

Amory Park Rangers from Tiverton are the Reserve team of Amory Argyle, but feared they would not get promotion from Division Nine if their main side failed to go up as well. Subsequently Amory have gone solo, and it will be more than

interesting to see how they fare.

The Devon & Exeter League have advised that their Handbooks will be out next week. There has been a binding problem at the printers, which has held matters up, but that should be resolved by midweek.

Premier clubs and referees will be the first to get their handbooks. Senior and Intermediate clubs may have to wait a second week.

Ray Lloyd the FA Licensed Referee Instructor in the Exeter area has warned players that the latest directive from FIFA and the FA is that for the Season 2009/10 Law Four must be implemented fully in relation to jewellery at all levels.

A player must not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous to himself or another player (including any kind of jewellery).

The practice of taping up wedding rings or ear-rings is no longer acceptable, all jewellery must be removed and cannot be worn.

The bottom line is if the ring or ear-rings cannot be removed then the player cannot play.

Ray Lloyd would ask all Referees to enforce this as required by LOAF and all Clubs and Managers to ensure that all their players are aware of this and comply.



## Borgeat on form

### LYME REGIS GOLF with Duncan Driver.

ishing off in third.

#### Ladies Section with Ellie Langford

THE August Medal and Grannies Shield were played mostly in the rain after the weatherman promised sunshine this resulted in the course playing long.

Not everyone found the conditions difficult, Anne Humphreys won the Grannies Shield and the Division One medal with a net 70 cutting her handicap to eight thus making her ambition of remaining in single figures until her 70th birthday next month much more likely.

Runner-up was Anita Holmes with a net 73 who also cut her handicap by one to 18.

Winner of Division Two was Lila Lambert who cut her handicap from 23 to 21, with

Sassy Hay finished as runner-up scoring a net 74 and a handicap reduction of one shot to 26.

Division Three was won by Pat Jenkins with a net 84, runner-up was Jean Forbes-Harris with net 85.

◆ GIVING IT SOME AIR: Axminster 3rd XI off-spinner Alan Ostler sends down a flighted delivery to Uplyme & Lyme Regis 2nd XI batsman Mark Brimicombe. Ostler finished with 1-62 from his 13 overs. Photo by Colin Bowerman



# Trios for Schmidt and Hill take Honiton up

**DEVON LEAGUE**
**B DIVISION**

Tavistock 248-4 (I Gray 90, P Tompkins 29, D Manning 36, S Luffman 27no, J Luffman 30no; J Fraser 2-71), Kingsbridge 108 (A Buckland 44, A Treeby 33; B Hendricks 8-43). Tavistock (20pts) bt Kingsbridge (3) by 140 runs.

Bideford 248-5 (B Sumption 61, M Wigley 58, J Ford 40; M Mason 3-72), Axminster 203-4 (J Seward 61, P Miller 42no, D Murmure 34; A Hodges 2-30). Bideford (13pts) drew with Axminster (9).

Barnstaple 195-8 (M Paine 79no, R Hunter 40, L Cole 22; M Goodman 2-31, P Turner 2-53, P Anning 2-41), Shobrooke Park 142-3 (J James 38, M James 37). Rain stopped play. Barnstaple (11pts), Shobrooke (12).

Clyst Hydon 167 (I Sutton 73, Extras 31. D Reed 27; C Cook 4-37), Clyst SG 168-1 (G White 86no, C Cook 35no, P Andrews 27 ret hurt), Clyst SG (20pts) bt Clyst Hydon (3) by 9 wickets.

Plymstock 177 (D Orchard 69, J Thomas 22, extras 41; M Bamber 5-15, J Knight 2-35), Alphington 179-2 (D Hayson 96no, A Codling 29). Alphington (20pts) bt Plymstock (5) by 8 wickets

|                  | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Alphington       | 16        | 7        | 1        | 6        | 0        | 2        | 244        |
| Tavistock*       | 16        | 8        | 1        | 5        | 0        | 2        | 231        |
| Clyst St George  | 16        | 8        | 4        | 1        | 0        | 3        | 215        |
| Plymstock        | 16        | 7        | 3        | 3        | 0        | 3        | 206        |
| Barnstaple       | 16        | 5        | 3        | 3        | 0        | 5        | 174        |
| Shobrooke        | 16        | 4        | 4        | 4        | 0        | 4        | 160        |
| Bideford*        | 16        | 2        | 5        | 7        | 0        | 2        | 155        |
| <b>AXMINSTER</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>9</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>134</b> |
| Kingsbridge*     | 16        | 3        | 7        | 4        | 0        | 2        | 129        |
| Clyst Hydon*     | 16        | 1        | 10       | 2        | 0        | 3        | 108        |

THIS WEEKEND'S FIXTURE:  
Barnstaple v AXMINSTER.

**C DIVISION**

Plymouth CS 188 (C Sanders 30, D Sanders 35; D Lammonby 5-42, M Gribble 2-53, C Rowlands 2-36), Chagford 190-4 (M Gribble 64, D Lammonby 56no, C Mortimore 24no; Bulley 3-59). Chagford (20pts) bt Civil (6) by 6 wickets.

Dartington & Totnes 301-5 dec (E Miller 85no, R Stevenson 63, B Loots 60; M Wheeler 4-60), Seaton 190 (M Hewer 32, B Morgan 27no; R Stevenson 4-47, B Loots 2-30, R Sudgen 2-39). Dartington (20pts) bt Seaton (6) by 111 runs.

Stoke Gabriel 129 (B Alcock 21, N Robinson 22, N Sandbrook 29; A Griffiths 5-39, C Lavis 3-29), Bridestowe 130-7 (G Sizum 40, P Woods 26; S Nand-lal 3-28, D Bolland 2-24). Bridestowe (18pts) bt Stoke (5) by 3 wickets.

Cockington 113 (A Hele 28, W Wyatt 20; P Veale 4-21, K Prescott 3-32, A Warden 2-21), Ivybridge 94 (R Peale 40; S Colegate 6-32, D Scott 2-33, N Stanlake 2-13). Cockington (16pts) bt Ivybridge (5) by 19 runs.

Feniton 207-9 (M Kingdon 71), Tiverton & Bickleigh 209-8 (S Bright 4-41). Tiverton (19pts) bt Feniton (9) by 2 wickets.

|                  | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Cockington       | 16        | 10       | 2        | 0        | 0        | 4        | 214        |
| Chagford         | 16        | 9        | 3        | 0        | 0        | 4        | 214        |
| Dartm't & Totnes | 16        | 6        | 4        | 1        | 0        | 3        | 191        |
| Ivybridge        | 16        | 7        | 5        | 1        | 0        | 3        | 190        |
| Stoke Gabriel    | 16        | 5        | 7        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 172        |
| <b>SEATON</b>    | <b>16</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>171</b> |
| Plymouth Civil S | 16        | 4        | 6        | 2        | 0        | 4        | 154        |
| <b>FENITON</b>   | <b>16</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>152</b> |
| Bridestowe       | 16        | 3        | 6        | 3        | 0        | 4        | 133        |
| Tiverton         | 16        | 1        | 10       | 2        | 0        | 3        | 117        |

FIXTURES: FENITON v Cockington, Stoke Gabriel v SEATON.

**D DIVISION**

Ipplepen 222-7 (R Doxat-Pratt 91, L Tuckett 63, T Cooper 20; J Newton 4-33), Wetherleigh 183-6 (E Smith 37, J Newton 32; S Bowden 2-35). Ipplepen (14pts) drew

with Whitchurch (9).

Thorverton 192 (W Denford 42, A Fury 36; M Miller 3-34), Ottery St Mary 142-9 (R Townsend 49no; K Griggs 4-32, N Barton 3-29). Thorverton (14pts) drew with Ottery (9).

Kilmington 126-9 (A Culley 37; R Guy 4-14, G Brain 3-46), Yelverton 131-4 (T Stevens 46, T Berry 29; B Noble 2-16). Yelverton (19pts) bt Kilmington (4) by 6 wickets.

Hatherleigh 176-8 (S Gillespie 47, T Reynolds 40; K Harris 5-37), Lewdown 119 (M Porage 30, P Yeo 22, M Jordan 20no). Hatherleigh (19pts) bt Lewdown (5) by 6 runs.

Babbacombe 105-9 (S Batey 5-30), Uplyme & Lyme Regis 106-2 (M Batey 57no, S Challis 22). Uplyme (19pts) bt Babbacombe (2) by 8 wickets.

|                       | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Thorverton            | 16        | 8        | 2        | 4        | 0        | 2        | 227        |
| Kingkerswell*         | 16        | 8        | 2        | 4        | 0        | 2        | 207        |
| <b>OTTERY ST MARY</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>204</b> |
| Shaldon               | 16        | 6        | 2        | 4        | 0        | 4        | 201        |
| Topham St J           | 16        | 6        | 4        | 4        | 0        | 2        | 190        |
| Kenn                  | 16        | 5        | 3        | 4        | 0        | 3        | 179        |
| Chepstow              | 16        | 4        | 5        | 3        | 0        | 4        | 166        |
| <b>HEMYOCK*</b>       | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>147</b> |
| Newton St Cyres       | 16        | 3        | 9        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 139        |
| <b>YARCOMBE</b>       | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>135</b> |
| Culmstock*            | 16        | 4        | 7        | 1        | 0        | 4        | 96         |
| Cullompton*           | 16        | 0        | 11       | 2        | 0        | 3        | 51         |

Kennard 3-9), Upottery 92-1 (M Button-Stephens 46no, T Wyatt 25). Upottery (20pts) bt Hemyock (0) by 9 wkt.

**TABLE**

|                       | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Heathcoat             | 16        | 8        | 1        | 5        | 0        | 2        | 235        |
| Braunton              | 16        | 7        | 3        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 229        |
| Thorverton            | 16        | 9        | 4        | 1        | 0        | 2        | 214        |
| Ipplepen              | 16        | 6        | 5        | 3        | 0        | 2        | 181        |
| <b>OTTERY ST MARY</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>172</b> |
| Countess Wear         | 16        | 5        | 7        | 3        | 0        | 2        | 165        |
| Stoke Gabriel         | 16        | 4        | 4        | 6        | 0        | 2        | 163        |
| Kingsbridge           | 16        | 4        | 8        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 149        |
| Dartington            | 16        | 3        | 9        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 135        |
| Plymouth CS           | 16        | 2        | 7        | 4        | 0        | 3        | 129        |

0 (K Veale 122no; P Taylor 27). Dartington (20pts) bt Countess Wear (3) by 10 wkt.

**TABLE**

|                       | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| Heathcoat             | 16        | 8        | 1        | 5        | 0        | 2        | 235        |
| Braunton              | 16        | 7        | 3        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 229        |
| Thorverton            | 16        | 9        | 4        | 1        | 0        | 2        | 214        |
| Ipplepen              | 16        | 6        | 5        | 3        | 0        | 2        | 181        |
| <b>OTTERY ST MARY</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>172</b> |
| Countess Wear         | 16        | 5        | 7        | 3        | 0        | 2        | 165        |
| Stoke Gabriel         | 16        | 4        | 4        | 6        | 0        | 2        | 163        |
| Kingsbridge           | 16        | 4        | 8        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 149        |
| Dartington            | 16        | 3        | 9        | 2        | 0        | 2        | 135        |
| Plymouth CS           | 16        | 2        | 7        | 4        | 0        | 3        | 129        |

THIS WEEKEND'S FIXTURE: Heathcoat v OTTERY ST MARY.

**2nd XI D DIVISION EAST**

Uplyme & Lyme Regis 250-6 (M Brimicombe 97, J Totes 32; D Hayball 3-42), Axminster 204 (S Read 59, I Barwick 42; J Lamb-Wilson 5-23, A Rattenbury 3-49). Uplyme (20pts) bt Axminster (8) by 46 runs. Woodbury II 76 (J Ingham 25; E Marks 4-22, K Short 3-24), Exmouth III 78-2 (J Page 48no; S White 2-22). Exmouth III (20pts) bt Woodbury II (1) by 8 wkt.

Tiverton 184-6 (J Reed 49, S McDonald 47; F Pyle 3-24), Feniton 130 (D Clarke 26; S McDonald 4-30), Tiverton II (19pts) bt Feniton II (5) by 54 runs.

Kentisbeare II 235 (T Coll 75, T Woofenden 36; D Prettejohn 5-49, S Bath 3-60), Upottery II 235 (R Pulman 36, A Fensome 26, L Nicholl 25; A Hazeldine 3-55). Upottery II (16pts) tied with Kentisbeare II (16).

Kilmington II 241-8 (J Lavender 93, G Dixon 39no), Clyst Hydon II 202-8 (S Morris 3-33). Kilmington II (15pts) drew with Clyst Hydon II (11).

**TABLE**

|                        | P         | W        | L        | D        | T        | A        | Pts        |
|------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------|
| <b>UPLYME &amp; LR</b> | <b>16</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>217</b> |
| Clyst Hydon            | 16        | 7        | 3        | 4        | 0        | 3        | 205        |
| <b>KILMINGTON</b>      | <b>16</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>5</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>189</b> |
| Tiverton               | 16        | 7        | 5        | 1        | 0        | 3        | 187        |
| Kentisbeare*           | 16        | 6        | 5        | 1        | 1        | 3        | 172        |
| Upottery               | 16        | 5        | 6        | 2        | 0        | 3        | 172        |
| <b>FENITON</b>         | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>157</b> |
| <b>AXMINSTER III</b>   | <b>16</b> | <b>4</b> | <b>7</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>148</b> |
| <b>UPOTTERY</b>        | <b>16</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>8</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>137</b> |
| Woodbury               | 16        | 3        | 6        | 4        | 0        | 3        | 129        |

FIXTURES: AXMINSTER III v Exmouth III, Kentisbeare v KILMINGTON, UPLYME & LYME REGIS v Clyst Hydon, UPOTTERY v FENITON.

**2nd XI E DIVISION EAST**

Exeter Civil Service II 188 (J Richardson 49), Axminster IV 116. Exeter Civil Service II (19pts) bt Axminster IV (6) by 70 runs.

Honiton II 195-8 (O Cave 33, N Foster 33, C Lapping 27no, A Lapping 24, P Beighton 23), North Devon III 103 (M Schmidt 3-17, R Hill 3-27), Honiton II (19pts) bt North Devon III (6) by 92 runs.

Honiton welcomed North Devon for their penultimate league game of the season, requiring 14 points to be sure of promotion and still with an outside shot at the league title.

In sultry conditions which were to sorely test the stamina of umpires Grant and Shepherd, Honiton won the toss and chose to bat first, their opening pair of Pete Beighton and Tom Strawbridge reunited in facing up to the testing pace of Clarke and White.

Strawbridge was surprised by a straight one early on for 12, bringing Ollie Cave to the crease. His assured stroke play assisted in laying the foundations of a competitive total before falling for a competent 33.

Beighton, typically obdurate in an innings of 23 from 60 deliveries was replaced by the equally rock-like Nigel Foster who struck 33.

Tom Travers (16), Andrew Lapping (24) and Craig Lapping (29 not out) upped the

run-rate in the quest for batting points against the impressive North Devon attack. With the top seven batsmen making double figures but none managing to really dominate, Honiton closed on a salubrious but hardly impassable 195-8.

North Devon's assault began promisingly as they reached 42-1, paceman Zeb Johns claiming the only wicket to fall during the first 12 overs. However Clarke and Hussey inexplicably tried to convert a comfortable single into a speculative three, inadvisedly taking on the arms of Ollie Cave and Craig Lapping.

The total pushed on to 60-2 before Johns embraced a mis-hit drive at mid off and Craig Lapping displaced O'Donnell with the total on 65. Hussey punished anything loose, taking the score to 87 before his partner succumbed to the second run out of the innings, instigated yet again by Cave.

With five wickets remaining and only 15 overs left, the match seemed to be heading for a draw, however, Richard Hill caught and bowled Platts-Martin and Martyn Schmidt warmed to his task, producing excellent deliveries to dispose of White and Makay in the space of three balls.

Two wickets left, 10 overs to go. Hill finally cleaned up the top scoring Hussey with a full length slower ball for 33 and Schmidt delivered the coup de grace to bowl last man Heidelman with a tempting flighted delivery, leaving North Devon down and out for 103 (Schmidt 3-17, Hill 3-27, Johns 1-24, Lapping 1-26).

As ever, the exemplary Honiton ground fielding played a huge part in building pressure on the batsmen, stand-out contributions coming from Travers, Cave, Broom and both Lappings.

Honiton took 19 points from the game, ensuring promotion and leaving them just one point behind league leaders Whimple Cullompton II 177-8 (I Hunt 5-38), Seaton II 179-6 (P Strawbridge 62, P Lawson 34no), Seaton II (18pts) bt Cullompton II (6) by 4 wkt.

Topsham St James II 190 (R Treleaven 73, J Gosnell 33; C Connell 3-32, C Clay 2-26, S Le-Roux 2-28), Kenn II 192-8 (T McDonald 48, C Clay 46no; S Cooper 4-13). Kenn II (20pts) bt Topsham St James II (8) by 2 wkt.

Fixtures: SEATON v Exeter Civil Service, Topsh

## 3RD PLACE FOR KEEFE

### AXE VALLEY RUNNERS

with *Dave Mutter*

ON Wednesday night the first running of the Dalwood Fayre 10k took place and with 63 runners on the start line it looks set to be a popular and regular event.

Honiton RC's Kevin Hawker led the way home finishing in 40:34. From the start Chris Keeffe and Bernard Fry started to push the pace, unfortunately a knee injury meant that Bernard had to pull out. We hope he gets better soon.

Chris was who was once again racing against Chard RCs Neil Plumridge managed to pull away and was very pleased to finish 3rd in 44:10, walking away with a very nice silver plate. Ian Apps was next in, he performed well and finished 8th in 48:38. Mark Hildes was pleased with his result and reported to have had a nice race. He finished 14th with 52:21.

Chris Irving really enjoyed the run and produced a fine result finishing 18th with a time of 53:46. Steve Reynolds has been racing rather a lot recently and really picked up some pace to come in 20th in 54:38. Tim Sibley enjoyed his second race going faster here than he did at Haselbury.

He finished 34th in 56:57. John Greenhalgh choose to pick this for his first race, a possible mistake as it is a tough course, but he performed terrifically and really enjoyed it finishing 49th in 1:05:59.

Finishing at the famous Tuckers Arms pub a pint was a good choice as curry was available for £2 to runners, so many were devoured with great aplomb.

Also on Wednesday Luke Reed and Harry Moore ran their 5th race of the six in this year's Yeovil 5K summer series, a somewhat flatter event. Luke achieved a new PB in each of the first four races and this race was to be no different.

He finished 14th in 17.19 and Harry was 164th in 39:30.

Luke, who is very pleased with his progress over the series, is looking forward to the last race on September 9th.

## HAWKER TAKES DALWOOD TITLE

### HONITON RUNNING CLUB with Alan Nicholls.

HONITON runners had the choice of two races last Wednesday evening.

There was a fast flat 5k at Yeovilton and a hard, hilly 10k at Dalwood.

Both races have their merits and it was down to personal preference which athletes ran at which event.

Dalwood lies in a valley and the only way out seems to be up long hills but despite this the race was an enjoyable mix of road and country and as it was a circular route there must have been as much down as up - but it never feels like it.

The runners set off at a steady trot up the first mile long hill and were soon strung out along the road.

Honiton star runner Kevin Hawker hung back for a while and watched the leaders push up the first hill before making a move which was to prove decisive.

Kevin steadily moved past the early contenders and ran away from the front and extended his lead throughout the race to finish in a pleasing 40.34.

Richard Harris seems to improve every race and also seems to enjoy the hills.

His seventh place finish in 48.22

led home the rest of the Honiton runners who crossed the line to applause every minute or so.

Bruce Strawbridge finished well in ninth with 49.04 and Vernon Gillard was just behind, 11th in 50.5. Judy Davey was next home in 17th with 53.25 well clear of John Burgess in 29th place who shared the same time as Nick Thorpe in 30th of 56.12.

David Gage was just one place and three seconds down on this pair. Alan Nicholls enjoyed the run but just missed the hour in 42nd place with 61.51 while Pete Lyus ran well in 46th with 64.04.

Gerry Evans also finished in a respectable 66.11 but the best finishing sprint of the race was reserved by Tracey Strawbridge who had obviously been inspired by Usain Bolt as she blasted the last hundred metres to the tape.

A thoroughly enjoyable race was had by all which ended at the pub with a curry supper.

Meanwhile at Yeovilton the speed merchants were testing their anaerobic fitness with a lung-bursting flat 5k burn-up.

James Denne pushed himself to 4th place with a 20 second improvement on his July run in 16.05.

Brian Charters improved his best

performance to 17.29 in 15th while Milan Goc is also pushing the envelope with a 10 second improvement to 17.46 in 20th. While husband Kevin was winning at Dalwood his wife Heather made the Yeovilton trip and posted an excellent time of 18.07 for 29th which is a good turn of speed for someone who will be doing the Commonwealth 100km champs at Keswick in a few weeks time.

The next two home must have had a good battle as they were only two seconds apart. Gary Enticott finished 68th in 20.48 while young Tom Dun was next home in 20.50.

Brent Dicks has run all five races at Yeovilton this year and has improved at each one.

This time he chipped another 41 seconds from his time and finished 71st in 21.01 so the pressure is on next month for him to finish the season in style with a sub 21 minute performance.

Marion Broom was the final Honiton runner across the line in 89th place.

Marion is a very consistent runner and posted her fifth consecutive 22 minute time with 22.41 this outing.

Maybe she will hang on to Brent next time and they will both get a sub 21.

## CHALLIS OFF AS TWO GOAL LEAD IS SQUANDERED

### AXMINSTER TOWN 2 TOTNES & DARTINGTON 2

AXMINSTER Town were without their new signing from Bridport - defender Chris Herbst (thigh strain) and striker Sam Dibbling, who has broken bone in his foot, for the visit of Totnes & Dartington on the opening day of the South-West Peninsula League Season.

The Tigers scored in the 20th minute when midfielder Alex Wheatley split open the Totnes defence and young striker Richie Emmett scored his first goal of the season planting his shot into the back of the net with a well-taken goal.

Although there wasn't much between the two teams, Alex Wheatley again sent a through ball to overlapping defender Michael Hancock who surged down the right flank before volleying the ball home to make it 2-0 at half time.

The visitors got back into the game when, in the 65th minute, James Wotton scored to make it 2-1 and ten minutes later Ryan Hare headed in from close range.

The Tigers' did well to get back in the game and Emmett latched onto a square pass by decent mid-fielder Dominic McAllister before being upended by a Totnes defender.

Unfortunately neither the referee or linesman saw to incident much to the annoyance of the Axminster fans. To add to their woes centre back Richard Challis was sent-off for his protests.

Axminster were disappointed not to have taken all three points with the Man of the Match award going to promising new signing 17 year old defender Dan Jewel.

Axminster are at home to Alphington next Saturday, kick-off is 3pm.

## Local riders do well at National Championships

LAMBERTS Castle Riding Club sent two Junior teams to the eventing championships held at Aston Le Walls, near Daventry, on Friday, August 7th to compete against teams from all over Scotland, Wales and England.

Both teams did extremely well and both were placed.

The Junior Novice team of: Jessica Rogers on Woetska, Kate Sopwith on Spotty Harry, Sophie Benger on McCoy and Olivia Benger on Private Audience came fifth out of 23 teams.

Both Olivia Benger and Jessica Rogers were also placed fifth in their sections - a very good result.

The Junior Intermediate Team of: Olivia Benger on Rascal, Billie Ann Warren on Country Rally, Tim Rogers on Corrievie Thomas and Jessica Rogers on Rangeview Solo also came in an impressive fifth place.

Olivia Benger finished fifth in her section, Tim Rogers sixth in

his section, and Jessica Rogers sixth in her section.

The results were especially good considering the going, and changes to the scheduled event.

The area had four inches of rain in 24 hours on the Thursday into Friday morning and therefore had to cancel the cross country phase of the event.

In its place the organisers put on an extra round of show jumping, this made the dressage phase more influential especially in the Junior Novice.

In the intermediate, the second show jumping round proved to be influential in the team and individual results.

The Lamberts Castle Riding Club are very proud of their members achieving such good results.

The club always welcomes new members, for more details ring the club secretary Irene Robinson on 01460 220387.

Olivia Benger finished fifth in

## AXE VALLEY BOULES LEAGUE Harbour B reach Cup Final

with Gerard Wood

### Division One:

Axmouth FC 2 Golden Hind B 3, Golden Hind A 4 Kings & Queens 1, Kings Arms A 2 Harbour A 3.

|                       | Pld | W | Pts |
|-----------------------|-----|---|-----|
| Golden Hind B.....    | 10  | 7 | 33  |
| Harbour A.....        | 11  | 5 | 29  |
| Golden Hind A.....    | 9   | 7 | 26  |
| Axmouth FC.....       | 9   | 7 | 26  |
| Kings Arms A.....     | 9   | 3 | 20  |
| Eyre Court A.....     | 8   | 4 | 19  |
| Kings & Queens.....   | 9   | 3 | 17  |
| Seaton Town FC A..... | 9   | 1 | 15  |

### Division Two:

Harbour B 3 Eyre Court Executives 2, Kingfisher Rebels 0 Axe Cliff A 5, Whitford Warriors 5 Seaton Town FC B 0, Kings Arms B 3 Kingfisher A 2, Lamb Mutton 4 Kingfisher B 1.

|                            | Pld | W  | Pts |
|----------------------------|-----|----|-----|
| Harbour B.....             | 13  | 11 | 44  |
| Axe Cliff A.....           | 13  | 9  | 42  |
| Whitford Warriors.....     | 12  | 9  | 36  |
| Eyre Court Executives..... | 12  | 6  | 36  |
| Kingfisher B.....          | 12  | 9  | 35  |

|                         |    |   |    |
|-------------------------|----|---|----|
| Kings Arms B .....      | 12 | 5 | 31 |
| Kingfisher Rebels ..... | 12 | 4 | 22 |
| Kingfisher A .....      | 11 | 3 | 21 |
| Lamb Mutton .....       | 12 | 2 | 17 |
| Seaton Town FC B .....  | 11 | 2 | 16 |

### Division Three:

Gerrard Arms A 2 Kings Jesters 3, Royal Clarence A 2 New Inn Flyers 3, Lamb High Flyers 2 Royal Clarence B 3, Gerrard Arms B 2 Lamb Visitors 3 (re-arranged from July 21st).

|                        | Pld | W | Pts |
|------------------------|-----|---|-----|
| Kings Jesters .....    | 11  | 8 | 32  |
| Bear Social Club ..... | 10  | 6 | 31  |
| New Inn Flyers .....   | 10  | 7 | 30  |
| Royal Clarence A ..... | 10  | 6 | 27  |
| Royal Clarence B ..... | 10  | 6 | 25  |
| Lamb Visitors .....    | 10  | 5 | 24  |
| Lamb High Flyers ..... | 11  | 3 | 24  |
| Gerrard Arms A .....   | 12  | 4 | 23  |
| Gerrard Arms B .....   | 10  | 2 | 19  |

- Whitbread Cup Quarter Final: Axe Cliff A 3 Golden Hind B 4.
- Semi-Finals: Kings Arms B 3 Harnour B 4, Kings Arms A v Golden Hind B (to be arranged.)
- NOTE: Would all teams with missing results please make sure that they are delivered to the Castle Inn this week.

## AXMINSTER SUMMER DARTS

RESULTS: 11th August:

### DIVISION ONE:

Baby Sheep 6 Vault B 3, Double or Nothing 8 Axminster Inn 1, Lamb Shanks 2 Rubber Johns 7, Vault A 6 Rousdon Club 3.

|                         | P  | W  | L  | F  | A  | Pts |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Axminster Inn .....     | 13 | 9  | 4  | 67 | 50 | 67  |
| Rousdon Club .....      | 13 | 7  | 6  | 67 | 50 | 67  |
| Lamb A .....            | 11 | 10 | 1  | 66 | 33 | 66  |
| Vault B .....           | 13 | 9  | 4  | 65 | 52 | 65  |
| Baby Sheep .....        | 13 | 8  | 5  | 63 | 54 | 63  |
| Vault A .....           | 12 | 6  | 6  | 63 | 45 | 63  |
| Nags Head A .....       | 12 | 5  | 7  | 57 | 51 | 57  |
| Thorncombe Club .....   | 12 | 7  | 5  | 57 | 51 | 57  |
| Rubber Johns .....      | 13 | 5  | 8  | 57 | 60 | 57  |
| Old Inn A .....         | 12 | 6  | 6  | 53 | 55 | 53  |
| Lamb Shanks .....       | 13 | 2  | 11 | 31 | 86 | 31  |
| Double or Nothing ..... | 13 | 1  | 12 | 29 | 88 | 29  |

### DIVISION TWO:

Castle A 8 Vault D 1, Cocks & Hens 2 Old Inn B 7, Connect 4 2 Castle Flyers 7.

|                              | P  | W  | L  | F  | A  | Pts |
|------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Castle A .....               | 12 | 12 | 0  | 79 | 29 | 79  |
| Castle Flyers .....          | 11 | 9  | 2  | 66 | 33 | 66  |
| Beer Pirates .....           | 11 | 9  | 2  | 64 | 35 | 64  |
| Nags Head B .....            | 10 | 6  | 4  | 53 | 37 | 53  |
| Axevale Club .....           | 10 | 5  | 5  | 49 | 41 | 49  |
| Old Inn B .....              | 12 | 4  | 8  | 49 | 59 | 49  |
| Red Lion Young Farmers ..... | 10 | 5  | 5  | 48 | 42 | 48  |
| Vault D .....                | 10 | 5  | 5  | 38 | 52 | 38  |
| Vault C .....                | 10 | 3  | 7  | 36 | 54 | 36  |
| Connect 4 .....              | 12 | 1  | 11 | 29 | 79 | 29  |
| Cocks & Hens .....           | 10 | 0  | 10 | 20 | 70 | 20  |

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# Sport



◆ BOUNDARY: Uplyme & Lyme Regis 2nd XI batsman Mark Brimcome pulls another boundary on to his way to a fine 97 against Axminster III's in the Devon League fixture at Cloakham Lawns on Saturday. Photo by COLIN BOWERMAN

## MILLWEY CRUSH HAWKS



◆ O'DANNY BOY: Millwey Rise striker Danny Larcombe takes on the Hawkchurch defence in Saturday's pre-season clash at First Avenue as team mate Michael Knight adds support. The 'Slopers' had little difficulty in racking-up a comprehensive 7-0 win. Photo by COLIN BOWERMAN

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